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Chapter 621: Shock!

"Wizard Heart!"

The three peak Great Wizards – Vic, Seddon, and Olga glanced at each other, a resolute expression revealing on their faces.

"Hum hum hum."

Then, the figure of their Wizard Heart also appeared, shining together with Wizards Saturn and Rael's Wizard Heart. However, they could tell that their Wizard Heart was indeed slightly inferior to Saturn and Rael's Wizard Heart.

The more Spell Models and the more perfect a Great Wizard's spell was, the more powerful the fused Wizard Heart would be. As Saturn was a Six-Elemental Spell Caster, all his Spell Models were excellent-grade and above hence he could become the strongest being below Legend.

At this time, the five Great Wizards all used their Wizard Heart. Hidden under the beautiful multicolored light was unparalleled determination.

"Haha, if we're going up against these big guys, how can we, the Mystic Squad, just stand back and watch?"

Under Wizard Beyna's lead, the three peak Great Wizards of the Mystic Squad flew over, and also revealed their Wizard Heart.

The Wizard Heart was the foundation of a Great Wizard. Normally, it must never be damaged, otherwise, it would damage their foundation. They would never be able to become a Great Wizard, much less explode a Wizard Heart.

Once a Wizard Heart exploded, those Great Wizards would instantly be reduced to ashes from the shockwave.

They were using their lives to go against this Progenitor's Body!

As the Progenitor's Body's colossal palm grew larger, Saturn and the others' Wizard Heart also reached its critical point. They would completely explode at any moment.

None of them knew about the two great consciousnesses that were watching their every move.

"Setoh, those kids have guts. It's too bad that they're not quite strong enough. Only death awaits them!"

In the darkness, Progenitor Hanra's tone was very calm.

Arcane Wizard Setoh remained silent, his expression grim. Saturn and the others were on the brink of crisis. Even if they had exploded their Wizard Heart, it would be unable to defeat the Progenitor's Body, unless a true Great Legend descended!

"Three thousand years… There's a reason why the Spell Caster civilization only needed three thousand years to become the strongest civilization in the Void Zone. Now, I finally know the reason!"

Merlin suddenly shouted. Beside him, Arrot seemed to be trying his hardest to resist the pressure the Progenitor's Body brought. Against that terrifying pressure, Spell Casters below Great would find it difficult to even move.

"Illusion!"

With just a soft breath, everyone's movements froze. At that moment, it seemed as though time itself had stopped.

Merlin stepped forward, and slowly walked toward Saturn and the others as if there was a flight of stairs beneath his feet. He looked at the huge Progenitor's Body, and he could seemingly see the struggle in those Rock Creatures' eyes.

However, it was completely useless. Merlin did not even use the Illusory World. His third-stage Hallucinating spell was more than enough. After all, the Progenitor's Body was assembled and was not a true Ancestor-level Rock Creature. Merlin's Hallucinating spell targeted all the members of the Progenitor Squad. Even the strongest beings below Legends were unable to resist Merlin's third-stage Hallucinating spell.

Everyone here had fallen into Merlin's Hallucinating spell. Saturn, Rael, and the others' Wizard Heart also gradually disappeared.

Then, a flame appeared in Merlin's hand, followed by wind, thunder, and ice. Four types of spells combined.

"Go!"

Merlin's eyes were ice-cold. With a point of his finger, the combined spell instantly flew toward the huge Progenitor's Body. The only ones that were not controlled were the two powerful consciousnesses in the void. Not even Merlin was aware of their existence.

However, Progenitor Hanra's current expression was also grave. He naturally saw at a glance Merlin's huge Mind Power and the terror of his combined spell. Once it hit the Progenitor's Body, the entire Progenitor Squad might be completely massacred.

Progenitor Hanra even thought about interfering but Arcane Wizard Setoh hindered him constantly, impeding Progenitor Hanra.

"Hanra, like you said, just let them fight it out. If you interfere, then tens or even hundreds of dimensions would be completely annihilated!"

Arcane Wizard Setoh was also overjoyed. Even he did not see that the Rainbow Squad's true terror was Merlin, who had such a terrifying Hallucinating spell. Perhaps among all the Mind Power Masters in the Spell Caster civilization, there was no one who surpassed Merlin.

"Merlin… I forgot that he was a Mind Power Master. He even reached such a frightening point. I've researched the Mind Power system for a while, and I know that its potential is endless but it's extremely challenging. Even I can't calculate a Mind Power system that can compare to Legends."

Arcane Wizard Setoh also grew interested in Merlin. Previously, he kept an eye out for Merlin because of Merlin's relationship with the black cat Didimoss and the Blackfire Lord. However, now, Merlin's power was enough to make Setoh greatly value him.

Especially in the current war with the Rock Tribe where no Legends were interfering, Merlin surpassing Saturn, and almost being comparable to a Great Legend was even more important than multiple Legends!

Although Arcane Wizard Setoh was amazed, he was not shocked. What he was truly shocked at was the Blackfire Lord. He stared intently at Merlin, watching the Progenitor Squad and Saturn and the rest remain frozen like statues, and seeing Merlin act himself. The Blackfire Lord knew that Merlin had used the power of a Mind Power Master.

"You did it, Merlin. You finally did it. You're so close to perfecting the Mind Power system… The current you are only one step away from breaking through into Legend!"

The Blackfire Lord himself was also a Mind Power Master but according to Titus' Mind Power system, his Hallucinating spell was only in its second-stage while Merlin's Hallucinating spell was in the third stage. The next step was the Illusory Heart, which was what the Blackfire Lord and other Mind Power Masters constantly chased after in order to break through past Legends.

However, after receiving Titus' Mind Power system, Merlin realized that breaking a Great Legend's shackles did not mean the Mind Power system was perfected. It was still very far off.

The Illusory Heart was only breaking the Great Wizard's shackles. With the state of Merlin's current Illusory Heart, he indeed was just one step away.

"Boom."

In the Seely Dimension, Merlin did not move at all. The combined spell viciously exploded, and the violent shockwave drowned the entire Progenitor's Body.

Merlin's Ninth-level spell, in addition to a Four-Elemental combined spell, could already harm ordinary Legends. Furthermore, the other party was just an assembled Legend body, only comparable to a Great Legend.

Therefore, under Merlin's combined spell attack, the Progenitor's Body was instantly defeated, and was reduced to gravel, falling onto the ground.

"Hmph!"

In the air, a cold scoff suddenly sounded. Merlin startled, and whipped his head around, looking at his surroundings. However, he did not find anything.

It was just a cold scoff but it let Merlin feel that he was unable to contend against it.

"Haha, Hanra, is a high and lofty Rock Tribe Progenitor really playing these petty tricks?"

Arcane Wizard Setoh guffawed. The entire Seely Dimension could hear the noise.

"Arcane Wizard Setoh?"

Merlin immediately recognized who the voice belonged to. It was the master of Setoh Arcane City, one of the three great Arcane Wizards of the Spell Caster civilization, Arcane Wizard Setoh.

"Haha, Merlin, well done. Your teacher, the Blackfire Lord, and Didimoss have been watching you but it's not convenient to tell you the details now. That was Progenitor Hanra earlier. His Progenitor Squad was defeated by you, so he naturally grew enraged, haha! Don't worry though, he has already left."

Arcane Wizard Setoh's voice continued to sound beside Merlin's ear. However, this time, it seemed only Merlin could hear his voice. It was clear that Arcane Wizard Setoh did not want others to know.

Then, Arcane Wizard Setoh also left. Merlin looked at the sky, and saw that there was still no disparity. He knew that it was because his distance from Arcane Wizard Setoh was still too large. He could not even chase after his footsteps.

Saturn and the others were still trapped in the illusion, and Merlin waved a hand to break the Hallucinating spell. Immediately, everyone returned to their senses. Besides Saturn, everyone else had confused looks on their faces, not knowing what had happened earlier.

Only Saturn, who was a powerful being under Legend, and was the closest to a Great Legend, could occasionally perceive the movements of the outside world even while in the Hallucinating spell.

Earlier, he saw Merlin cast Hallucinating spell. He also saw Merlin use the combined spell to defeat the Progenitor's Body. For a moment, he looked at Merlin with a complicated gaze.

"Merlin, I've always thought that since I became a preeminent Great Wizard, I would be able to leave you behind me. Who would've thought that I'm still behind you…"

Saturn smiled bitterly.

Merlin also smiled, not knowing how to console Saturn. He knew that Saturn was extremely proud. Ever since he entered Arcane City back then, and discovered that Merlin was also a Six-Elemental Spell Caster, Saturn had secretly competed himself with Merlin.

Even after so many years have passed, those thoughts did not diminish at all. However, besides being proud and arrogant, Saturn did not have any other flaws. He prepared to explode his Wizard Heart with no hesitation when facing against the Progenitor's Body, letting Merlin feel deep admiration for him. With this kind of courage and conviction, as long as he did not die in the future, he would definitely become a Great Legend!

Hearing Saturn and Merlin's conversation, even if they were slow on the uptake, Rael and the others had already guessed what happened. When they looked at Merlin, their eyes flashed with a shock that was hard to conceal.

"Whoosh."

Suddenly, a huge flying ship flew over from the distance. This flying ship was broken beyond recognition, and the runes on it were dull and lightless. It was clearly overworked, and could no longer be used.

Five powerful Spell Casters jumped out of the flying ship. Taking the lead was a young Wizard not inferior to Saturn. They were the Mille Squad that had rushed over by pulling all the stops. For that goal, they had completely spent a good casting tool.

The young Wizard Bolt carefully observed Saturn, and the others before finally sighing in relief. "Thank goodness. You're very lucky the Progenitor Squad hasn't found you yet. We weren't too late."

When Bolt finished speaking, he saw a strange look appeared on the expressions of the Rainbow Squad's Spell Casters.

Chapter 622: Summon

"The Progenitor Squad? I'm afraid you're too late. That pile on the ground is the Progenitor Squad that you're looking for…"

Rael was in a good mood as he pointed at the pile of shattered rocks.

Bolt and the others glanced over and felt that familiar life force. It was the same life force as the "Heart Core" Squad they had chased after earlier.

"Bolt!"

Suddenly, a strict voice sounded by Bolt's ear.

"Great Arcane Wizard, please give us your instructions!"

Bolt immediately knew who the voice belonged to. His expression became respectful.

"The Progenitor Squad has been defeated by Merlin. Your current task now is to sweep through the remaining Rock Tribe strongholds in the Seely Dimension together with the Rainbow Squad, and completely control the Seely Dimension."

"Please be rest assured, Great Arcane Wizard. We'll definitely control the Seely Dimension."

After listening to Arcane Wizard Setoh's message, Bolt looked at the Rainbow Squad with a complicated expression before his eyes finally landed on Merlin. He was able to single-handedly defeat the Progenitor Squad. He was no longer someone as simple as the strongest

Wizard below Legend but he was above all Spell Casters below Legend. He was a terrifying genius who was comparable to a Great Legend!

The Rainbow Squad and the Mille Squad did not encounter any more trouble and smoothly occupied the entire Seely Dimension. The Rock Creatures in the front line seemed to be pulling back completely. One by one, they withdrew from their strongholds, and only a few extremely powerful strongholds remained. Spell Casters would not be able to breach them in a short amount of time.

Both sides seemed to be building up strength, and the Seely Dimension that the front line revolved around began to quieten down. However, everyone knew that there was an undercurrent behind that peace, and it was just the calm before the storm!

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"Wizard Merlin, the great Wizard Setoh has asked for you!"

Bolt, from the Mille Squad, conveyed Wizard Setoh's invitation to Merlin.

At this moment, Merlin was still a member of the Rainbow Squad. However, they had left the Seely Dimension, and were back at the Alabaster Dimension behind the Seely Dimension.

"Wizard Merlin, don't worry about us. We can also prepare during this period. I'm afraid this war has just begun."

Saturn was not very optimistic. The Spell Casters only held a slight upper hand now. The cruelty of a civilization war had not been reflected yet.

During this period of calm, there were indeed many Spell Casters who chose to recuperate at the Alabaster Dimension in order to prepare for a more brutal battle.

Merlin nodded. "Alright, then you guys get ready."

Then, Merlin followed behind Bolt, and quickly flew to the skies in the Alabaster Dimension. In an independent space among the clouds stood a towering castle.

"This is Setoh Castle! Wizard Merlin, Setoh Castle isn't accessible to just anyone. Many Honored Legends haven't even step foot here before. You're very lucky! Hurry inside. Wizard Setoh is only allowing you in."

Bolt then turned to leave. Although he was a genius Spell Caster favored by Wizard Setoh, in the absence of a specialized summon, he did not have the qualifications to enter Setoh Castle.

Merlin looked at Setoh Castle which floated in an individual space that even the Alabaster Dimension could not repair. He could even see some storms sweeping in the space, which showed that the space was not very calm. However, it did not shake up Setoh Castle at all.

Merlin did not delve deeply into the matter. The means of Arcane Wizards were far beyond his comprehension, so he simply walked toward the castle step by step.

"Whoosh."

Merlin felt his consciousness grow blurry, and there was a feeling akin to entering a Runic Magic Circle. By the time he opened his eyes, he had found himself in a magnificent hall.

However, the hall was completely empty. There was nothing at all.

"Great Arcane Wizard Setoh?"

In the vast hall, only the echo of Merlin's voice could be heard. There was no sign of anyone else.

"Wizard Setoh told me to come here, so how can he be missing?"

Merlin frowned, unable to think of any other reasons.

"Meow."

Suddenly, a flash of black pounced on Merlin. Merlin also felt the familiar life force, and a smile spread across his face. He blurted out, "Didimoss?"

"Haha, Merlin, you're quite lucky. So, you didn't die? Come, come, come. Let me see. You were really in the limelight in this period of time!"

The voice was very familiar, and the life force belonged to the black cat Didimoss but Merlin's eyes widened as he looked at the black cat the size of a large dog. Was this the Didimoss that used to climb on Merlin's shoulder before?

In the past, Didimoss was just a little chubby, and was a fat cat only in name. However, now, the black cat Didimoss was not only fat but very large as well, just like a big dog. It was also Merlin's first time seeing such a large "cat".

As if sensing the doubts in Merlin's heart, the black cat Didimoss shook its head and explained, "Merlin, that old fart Setoh doesn't treat me bad. Every once in a while, there'll be some powerful foreign tribes for me to eat. Hehe, right now, even ten of you won't be able to match me!"

Indeed, Merlin felt that the current black cat Didimoss was somewhat usual, and there was faint oppression from its body. Although the Didimoss in the past was comparable to a Great Legend, there was no such oppressive feeling. It seemed that during this period of time, the black cat Didimoss indeed made a lot of progress.

"Oh, right. Why did you come here, Merlin?"

The black cat Didimoss asked curiously.

"Ah? Wasn't it Wizard Setoh who had asked me to come?"

Merlin was rather surprised.

"Huh? That's weird. That old fart Setoh left the castle a few days ago to somewhere unknown. How could he have let you in here?"

The black cat Didimoss' words surprised Merlin. If it was not Arcane Wizard Setoh who had invited him, then who was it?

"You can stop guessing. I made Bolt invite you in Wizard Setoh's name."

A familiar figure slowly appeared in the hall.

"Teacher!"

Merlin brightened up at the figure, no longer having any suspicion.

That figure was the Blackfire Lord. A smile also appeared on his indifferent face. He waved at Merlin and said, "Come, don't be so courteous. You can make yourself at home in this castle."

Merlin nodded. The black cat Didimoss wanted to jump onto Merlin's shoulders, but after seeing its own size, it could only give up, and fall into pace beside Merlin.

"Sit down, make yourself at home!"

After Merlin sat down, the black cat Didimoss finally found the right opportunity to jump on Merlin. It laid down lazily, looking very comfortable.

"Teacher, is there a reason why you called me here?"

Seeing how the Blackfire Lord did not say anything, Merlin asked cautiously.

"Yes, there is."

The Blackfire Lord paused. He fixed his sharp gaze on Merlin, and said solemnly, "Merlin, tell me. Have you already made that crucial step?"

"Crucial step?"

Merlin was slightly stunned but he immediately understood what the Blackfire Lord was referring to – the Mind Power system! From the beginning, the Blackfire Lord had even accepted Merlin as his disciple in order to perfect the Mind Power system.

According to the Blackfire Lord's understanding, Mind Power Masters could rival Great Legends after taking a crucial step, which was perfecting the Mind Power system. However, according to Titus' Mind Power system, being comparable to a Legend was just the state of the Illusory Heart. It was just the second stage of the Hallucinating spell.

There was still the third stage as well as the Illusory World. After the Illusory World, one would be able to turn nothingness into reality. That was the true perfection of the Mind Power system. Currently, Merlin had not even reached the Illusory Heart. He was still very far from that step.

After pondering for a moment, Merlin said slowly, "I have indeed made that crucial step and broke through the Legend's shackles!"

Merlin did not mention Titus' Mind Power system, not because of selfishness, but because Titus' Mind Power system was imperfect.

Even Titus failed in forming an Illusory World. The Illusory World in the illusion bead was imperfect. Even Titus could not perfect the Illusory World. Obviously, Titus' Mind Power system was flawed, and required Merlin to perfect it bit by bit in the future.

However, Merlin did not know whether Titus was on the right path or not, and neither did Titus. They could only move one step at a time, and hoped to finally perfect the Mind Power system through constant exploration.

Therefore, until the Mind Power system was completely perfected, Merlin did not plan on letting others know about Titus' Mind Power system. If it turned out that Titus' path was wrong, then Merlin would have caused a huge disaster. It would be catastrophic to the Spell Caster world.

That was why Merlin still chose to hide this issue for the time being.

"Haha, I was right. I was right!"

The Blackfire Lord's face revealed a trace of excitement. Since he became a Lord, he had been studying Mind Power, and he was also a powerful Mind Power Master. According to Titus' Mind Power system categorization, the Blackfire Lord had reached the second stage of Hallucinating spells.

The Blackfire Lord soon calmed his excitement, and continued. "Merlin, if you can perfect the Mind Power system, it'll make me even happier than if you become a Lord! You would be opening another path for many of our Spell Casters. Your contribution would be no less than the three great Arcane Wizards who were enlightened about the Spell Caster arcanum, and completely perfected the Spell Caster system."

It was not surprising that the Blackfire Lord was so excited. Indeed, if Merlin could truly completely perfect the Mind Power system, his achievement would be no less than the three great Arcane Wizards. It would also open a path not inferior to the Spell Caster system. It would play a huge role in the Spell Caster civilization.

"Merlin, our war with the Rock Tribe won't end for a while, and it's very likely that it'll develop into a cruel civilization war! I already know about your battle with the Progenitor Squad. Your combined spell's power is indeed very powerful but it's still not a true Legend. If the enemy can resist your Hallucinating spell or isn't affected by your Hallucinating spell, you'll be in great danger."

Merlin had also considered several points that the Blackfire Lord had mentioned. His strongest reliance now was on his Hallucinating spells. However, the Blackfire Lord did not know that Merlin could mobilize the Illusory World, and cause even true Great Legends to fall into the Hallucinating spell.

"Haha, Blackfire King, stop making Merlin worried. Quickly take out everything you got from the Legend of Darkness."

The black cat Didimoss suddenly interrupted.

"The Legend of Darkness?"

Merlin was stunned. He soon associated it to his Darkness Eye which was stuck at its sixth form, unable to break through to the seventh form.

The Blackfire Lord laughed. "That's right. I called the Legend of Darkness a few days ago, and asked him for some cultivation methods for Darkness Eye, especially the key method to cultivate it to its seventh form!"

"The seventh form!"

Merlin's eyes were fervent. Darkness Eye was the strongest at its seventh form, and was Legend of Darkness Oflas' greatest achievement. One could not become Legend, and have power equivalent to a Great Legend.

In order to do that, he had even set up a puppet team to cultivate Darkness Eye. With that team, the Legend of Darkness established a powerful Darkness country in the vast Spell Caster civilization, which was considered powerful beings even among Honored Legends.

Even if it was the Blackfire Lord, he must have exhausted all his thoughts, and used many methods to obtain the seventh form of Darkness Eye from the Legend of Darkness' hands.

Merlin was very moved. At this moment, he seemed to see Wizard Leo. The Blackfire Lord's figure in front of him seemed to slowly overlap with Wizard Leo from Merlin's memories.

"Teacher, you've gone through a lot of trouble for me! Thank you, Teacher Blackfire!"

"Haha, this is just a trivial matter. If you survive through the civilization war, that would be your greatest way of repaying me. Remember, you have to live on in the civilization way. You must perfect the Mind Power system!"

Merlin nodded solemnly. Then, the Blackfire Lord's Mind Power swiftly brought a large amount of information. Merlin did not resist, and his Mind Power automatically began to absorb it.

Chapter 623: The First Step

In the secret chamber of Setoh Castle, Merlin's surrounding was quiet. There was no one else but himself. Merlin gently shut his eyes, and examined the additional memory which had surfaced in his mind.

Darkness Eye was something Merlin had received when he was still weak. Once upon a time, it was his strongest ability. Even right now, the sixth form of Darkness Eye could rival a peak Great Wizard's abilities.

Nevertheless, following the advancement of Merlin's Spell Caster level as well as the improvements in his Spell Fusion, Hallucinating spell, and other abilities, the sixth form of Darkness Eye eventually lagged behind the rest of Merlin's abilities.

As for the seventh form of Darkness Eye, Merlin came to understand over time that the key to unlocking it must be controlled by the Legend of Darkness Oflas. Unless Merlin could obtain the key, he would not be able to level-up Darkness Eye anymore.

Right now, the Blackfire Lord had finally obtained the instructions from the Legend of Darkness in order to level-up Darkness Eye to its seventh form. Naturally, Merlin was very excited. Without any delay, he began to examine the large barrage of information given to him by the Blackfire Lord.

The information in Merlin's mind was extensive, and was all related to Darkness Eye. From the methods of cultivation to the final sixth form, the information was incredibly detailed. The Blackfire Lord must have employed some tactics that forced the Legend of Darkness to hand over the detailed instructions of cultivating Darkness Eye.

Perhaps, this was a feat that would not be achieved for the ordinary Lords. It must have been the Blackfire Lord's unique identity and status that caused the Legend of Darkness to surrender and hand over the secrets of Darkness Eye.

Merlin only took a cursory glance through the first to sixth forms. Darkness Eye was not cultivated from the start by Merlin, and even the sixth form was cultivated with the assistance of the Blackfire Lord. Therefore, Merlin did not have a very deep understanding of Darkness Eye. The only information he wanted to know now was, how to cultivate Darkness Eye successfully, and level up to its seventh form?

Soon, Merlin found an introduction to the seventh form of Darkness Eye, and it was very detailed.

Firstly, in order to cultivate the seventh form of Darkness Eye, it was necessary to fuse it with all his Darkness-type spells. Moreover, this fusion was not the same as the fusion of Pandora Demon Abilities but a fundamental fusion into the Darkness-type Spell Model.

Thus, it would require the Spell Caster to first combine all his Darkness-type Spell Models into one. In fact, this was also an essential step that had to be undertaken by any Ninth-level Spell Caster before becoming a Great Wizard.

Generally, Spell Casters who intend to combine their Spell Models to become a Great Wizard would start with fusing Spell Models of the same type first. For example, starting with Merlin's Darkness-type spells, he would start fusing the Zero-level Spell Model up to the Ninth-level Spell Model into one. After all, Spell Models of the same type would be able to fuse together easier than other types of Spell Models.

It was only after this step that they would consider fusing together different spell types. This method also avoided confusion. Otherwise, the random combination of dozens of Spell Models might kill even the most talented Spell Caster due to the collapse of the Spell Model.

Darkness Eye was a special Pandora Demon Ability so Merlin did not know whether it could be fused into the Darkness-type Spell Model. Nevertheless, since this was the method given by the Legend of Darkness Oflas, it would not be wrong.

Fusing it into the Spell Model was not the end. Subsequently, the Spell Caster's Mind Power had to be completely fused with Darkness Eye. Upon successful completion, Darkness Eye would level-up to its seventh form, and possess abilities comparable to a Great Legend.

However, Merlin discovered an issue. Fusing spells and Pandora Demon Abilities was incredibly difficult, akin to walking on a tightrope on stilts. An average Spell Caster would not be able to do it. Then, even if someone were to succeed, they would have to fuse their Mind Power with it. It was probably at this critical moment that Oflas would act. He would override the Spell Caster's Mind Power, and take control of their consciousness, thus turning the Spell Caster into one of his puppets.

This was the key that enabled the Legend of Darkness Oflas to control so many Spell Casters who were able to wield the seventh form of Darkness Eye.

"This is a clever tactic… Secretly spread the cultivation methods of Darkness Eye, step by step, and then observe the Spell Casters who are making rapid progress in cultivating Darkness Eye. Then, strike at the most critical moment! It would be a walk in the park to control a Ninth-level or Great Wizard. Instantly, the Legend of Darkness would possess a puppet that is comparable to a Great Legend."

Merlin was able to figure out the Legend of Darkness Oflas easily. The key that enabled him to control several Spell Casters as his puppets laid in the Mind Power fusion step.

"The Legend of Darkness Oflas overrides the Spell Caster's Mind Power to control their consciousness, and turn them into puppets. Most likely, he's similar to the Blackfire Lord, someone studying the Mind Power system. He must be a Mind Power Master who had at least consolidated the Mind Heart!"

According to the clues, Merlin immediately inferred that the Legend of Darkness Oflas was a Mind Power Master. Only then, it would explain how he had never missed a hand.

The only time was when the Blackfire Lord had helped Merlin remove the special powers hidden inside Darkness Eye. Hence, despite using the same method to cultivate the seventh form of Darkness Eye, Merlin would not have to fear being controlled by Oflas.

Moreover, Merlin was an outstanding Mind Power Master himself. His Mind Power was incredibly powerful, and his Hallucinating spell had achieved the third step. Even if the Legend of Darkness were to strike, he might not necessarily be able to override Merlin's Mind Power.

"This is strangely quite similar to the Illusory Heart."

Merlin muttered softly. Unexpectedly, the moment his voice dropped, the illusion bead in his ring began to vibrate.

Merlin frowned, and retrieved the illusion bead. Then, from the inside, Titus' apparition was projected outward.

Ever since Titus had forcibly mobilized the illusion bead the last time and sustained massive damage, Merlin no longer kept the illusion bead sealed. Therefore, Titus could observe the outside situation at any time via the illusion bead.

"Merlin, the Legend of Darkness uses Darkness Eye to override the Spell Caster's Mind Power, and thereby control their consciousness, turning them into puppets. This is completely different from the Illusory Heart. You better not think of this as a shortcut. If you expand your effort following the Legend of Darkness' approach, I'm afraid you'll never be able to achieve the enlightenment of the Illusory Heart."

Seeing the gravity in Titus' expression, Merlin was instead relaxed. He smiled slightly. "Oh? Is it so serious? Titus, you must be watching me very closely since you seem to know what I'm thinking? So, tell me, what's the difference?"

"The difference is huge!"

Titus paused and continued. "The Legend of Darkness' approach is simply using a powerful Mind Power to gain control over someone's consciousness, but what happens if you meet a more powerful Mind Power Master? Moreover, he strikes when the Spell Caster's guard is lowered. Even when he controls them, they're nothing but mindless puppets, how can that be compared to the Illusory Heart? The Illusory Heart enables you to use Hallucinating spells to completely trap your enemies in an unrecoverable illusion, and thus allowing you to control their minds. This is a very advanced form of control, not like the mindless puppets. In addition, your opponents can still be restored to normal after being exposed to the Hallucinating spell. This is the power of the Illusory Heart. The foundation of the Illusory Heart still lies within Hallucinating spells, which is why it's the second stage of Hallucinating spells."

Titus explained a lot in one breath, and Merlin nodded thoughtfully. Titus was "warning" Merlin that perfecting the Mind Power system would require a focus on Hallucinating spells. Only by achieving enlightenment on Hallucinating spells would he be able to achieve the higher realm of the Illusory Heart.

Later, Titus returned to the Illusory World. Merlin did not continue to pursue how the Legend of Darkness managed to control the Spell Casters. Instead, he began to combine all the Spell Models of his Darkness-type spells as per the Legend of Darkness' method.

From the Zero-level spell to the Ninth-level spell, there were a total of ten Spell Models. Merlin's Mind Power immersed in his Awareness, and saw that the Darkness-type Spell Models were like building blocks. Each of them was stacked up in a unique combination.

Even if they belonged to the same element type, there was a lot of repulsion between individual spells. Therefore, before combining Spell Models, it was necessary to first consider the repulsion between each Spell Model.

Generally, for the fusion of spells that belonged to the same type, while there was considerable repulsion, it could be directly suppressed by Mind Power. It was the fusion of different types of Spell Models that could not be forcibly suppressed or else it might explode and collapse.

Merlin began from the Zero-level Darkness-type Spell Model, and tried to forcibly fuse it with the First-level Spell Model. First, he allowed the two Spell Models slowly mingle.

"Chi chi."

Soon, Merlin found the problem. The two Spell Models were still unable to fuse together by themselves. After all, there was a huge difference between them.

Seeing that the spells were unable to fuse together, Merlin activated his enormous Mind Power.

"Boom."

The enormous Mind Power was like a mountain that slammed violently between the Zero- and First-level Darkness-type spells. Then, there was a bone-chilling sound, and the Zero-level Spell Model began to forcibly fuse with the First-level Spell Model.

A black mist enveloped the two Spell Models. Since they were Spell Models of the same type, a forced fusion would not pose any risk of collapse. Therefore, the Spell Casters dared to use Mind Power to forcibly combine Spell Models of the same type.

Finally, Merlin sensed that the repulsion between the two Spell Models was diminishing. At last, he gradually removed his Mind Power. The Zero-level Spell Model and the First-level Spell Model were madly fusing together like sponges.

This was not one engulfing the other but a true fusion. Merlin could sense that the newly-fused Spell Model had become more powerful than before.

However, such fusions must be done quickly. After the successful combination of the Zero-level and First-level Spell Models, the remaining Darkness-type Spell Models became like a building block structure with missing components. The entire structure was unstable. Merlin had to utilize all his Mind Power to stabilize the Spell Models.

Taking advantage this time, Merlin quickly began Second-level Spell Model fusion, and continued with the Third-, Fourth-, Fifth-, and up to Ninth-level Spell Model. One after another, they were fused together.

Merlin's expression was very calm. The combination of same-type Spell Models was not only the first step of cultivating the seventh form of Darkness Eye but also the first step toward becoming a Great Wizard. Hence, it was a very important task that left no room for error.

Chapter 624: The Six-Elemental Wizard Heart

"Boom."

When the Ninth-level Darkness-type Spell Model was fused, all the Spell Models vibrated gently. A black mist wrapped around the Spell Model as it underwent gradual changes. Finally, the black mist dissipated, and formed a black ball of light with the appearance of a heart.

"The Wizard Heart!"

Merlin was immediately reminded of the Wizard Heart wielded by Saturn and Rael when they were facing the powerful Progenitor's Body. That was the foundation of the Great Wizards, a multicolored ball of light formed by combining all the Spell Models in their bodies.

Right now, except for the color, in terms of aura and shape, Merlin's black ball of light was no different from the Great Wizards' Wizard Heart.

In fact, this was a Wizard Heart. However, it was a Wizard Heart formed through the combination of Darkness-type Spell Models alone. It had not yet become a real Wizard Heart because Merlin still needed to combine the Darkness-type, Fire-type, Wind-type, Ice-type, Earth-type, and Thunder-type Spell Models together. Then only would he be able to consolidate the real Wizard Heart and become a Great Wizard.

However, in Merlin's case, this step would be incredibly arduous. Combining Spell Models of the same type was relatively simple because he could rely on his powerful Mind Power to suppress it, and forcefully trigger the fusion.

On the other hand, fusing different types of spells was highly challenging. Especially if the respective single-type Wizard Heart was very powerful, then, it would be even more difficult

to combine the different types together. Perhaps, at the stage of preparing to attempt the fusion, the Wizard Heart would completely burst open and collapse.

So, it would take a long time for Merlin to consolidate the true, multicolored Wizard Heart. Or, if he were lucky to encounter some opportunities, it would speed up the process of combining the Wizard Heart of each type.

These thoughts flashed across Merlin's mind. After the Darkness-type Wizard Heart was born, Merlin could clearly sense its powerful ability. It seemed that through the Wizard Heart, he could wield any spell from the Zero- to the Ninth-level, and they could be switched around as he liked.

This already showed the faint markings of a Great Wizard. A Great Wizard's spells could be switched around at will, so any spell wielded by a Great Wizard would be more powerful than any Spell Model that had to be simulated using Mind Power.

This was the use of the Wizard Heart. The only defect was that Merlin's Wizard Heart was not multicolored.

Upon sensing the Wizard Heart consolidated from the Darkness-type spells, Merlin's heart was sorely tempted. Currently, they were fighting at the front lines in a war against the Rock Tribe. Hence, any increase in strength was also an increase in chances of survival. After all, no one knew when a civilization war would erupt. That was brutal warfare that would kill even the Great Legends and Honored Legends.

As such, Merlin decided to continue fusing Spell Models. After the Darkness-type Spell Model fusion, he continued with the Fire-type Spell Model, Wind-type Spell Model, and so on. There was a look on his face that he would not be satisfied until he consolidated Six-Elemental Wizard Hearts.

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The Seely Dimension had been completely controlled by Spell Casters. There was also the powerful Mille Squad guarding the fort. Following the capture of the Seely Dimension, the Spell Caster civilization also gained an upper hand in other dimensions at the front line. Compared to the beginning of the war, the situation had been completely reversed.

The Spell Caster civilization had revealed its powerful foundations.

However, the Rock Tribe was not weak either. If anyone were to claim that the Rock Tribe had given up, most of the Spell Casters would not believe it. Nevertheless, it had been more than half a year, but the front line was very quiet. The quieter it was, the more suspicious it appeared to be.

Perhaps, the next attack by the Rock Tribe would be terribly fearsome.

In the Rock Tribe's dimension was a palace floating in mid-air. Inside, Progenitor Hanra was looking calmly at six strange Rock Creatures. These Rock Creatures had a black body that glowed with a dark red light.

Rock Creatures possessing such strange traits were said to be the most powerful according to the Rock Tribe's history. They were the most preeminent prodigies of the entire civilization, and had great potential to become one of the most powerful Ancestor-level Rock Creatures.

Even Progenitor Hanra was once upon a time a Rock Creature like this, able to challenge beyond his level!

"The six of you are the biggest secret of the Rock Tribe. On the surface, we only have two civilization-level prodigies, but in actual fact, we have six of you!"

Progenitor Hanra looked at these six Rock Creatures confidently. There were a few reasons he decided to trigger the war. Besides the years of accumulated grudges against the Spell Casters and the issue of developing the Rock Tribe civilization in a different direction, his decision was also influenced by these six civilization-level prodigies.

The term civilization-level prodigy denoted that, on average, only one individual out of the entire civilization would be an existence capable of challenging a Great Legend beyond his or her level. If there were any civilization where two civilization-level prodigies emerged simultaneously, then it would be an impressive civilization.

Right now, however, six civilization-level prodigies had emerged among the Rock Tribe. All of them were existences like Alcra, who was able to challenge a Great Legend beyond his level. Moreover, the Tree Tribe civilization was also considered a relatively strong civilization, yet they only produced one civilization-level prodigy – Alcra.

Progenitor Hanra continued. "Over the years, only three civilization-level prodigies have emerged among the Spell Caster civilization, which are from the three great Arcane Cities. Nonetheless, based on my speculation, the Spell Caster civilization must be hiding some other civilization-level prodigies. Perhaps it's two or maybe three but it's not important. Even if the Spell Caster civilization was to have seven or eight civilization-level prodigies, it doesn't matter because as long as the Legends don't interfere, they'll undoubtedly lose!"

Progenitor Hanra appeared to be very confident. Once the six civilization-level prodigies summoned the Progenitor's Body, their powers would be mind-blowingly formidable. The reason Progenitor Hanra had not organized any attack at the front line for so long was to gather these six civilization-level prodigies.

"Great Progenitor Hanra, we'll not abandon our mission. We'll drive away all those pathetic Spell Casters."

These six civilization-level prodigies shouted in unison.

Progenitor Hanra shook his head. "You don't have to be in such a hurry. You're the last playing card of the Rock Tribe. Right now, before the civilization war breaks out, we'll try to occupy as many dimensions as possible. However, not all of you can reveal yourselves. Only the two publicly-known ones can show themselves.

"Aroyo, Samka, both of you go to the Seely Dimension. It's best if you can travel at the fastest speed possible, so that the Spell Casters cannot react in time, and occupy the Seely Dimension. Hehe, I believe Setoh must've made preparations. If he sends out two or three civilization-level prodigies, the four of you will immediately launch into battle, and form the Progenitor's Body. Kill two or three of the Spell Caster's civilization-level prodigies, and victory will be ours. That's the greatest hit on the Spell Caster civilization!"

Progenitor Hanra quickly made detailed arrangements. His aim was to kill the Spell Casters' civilization-level prodigies. Every civilization-level prodigy was very precious because they held the potential to become a Great Lord in the future.

The role of a Great Lord in a civilization war was unimaginable because as long as it was not genocide, the Arcane Wizards would not involve themselves. Thus, the most powerful force was the Great Lords.

If there was one powerful Great Lord, it might even decide the outcome of the war. This war between the Spell Casters civilization and the Rock Tribe civilization was highly likely to turn

into a civilization war, so it was impossible to end it in a short time. Most probably, it would continue for a few hundred or a few thousand years or maybe even longer. Thus, the civilization-level prodigies had a direct impact on the outcome of the war.

"Great Progenitor Hanra, we'll go to the Seely Dimension now!"

Aroyo and Samka exchanged a look. They could see the excitement in each other's eyes. The Rock Tribe's cavalry had arrived!

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"Chi."

In Merlin's Awareness, following the birth of the final Thunder-type Wizard Heart, Merlin finally combined all his Six-Elemental Spell Models into Six-Elemental Wizard Hearts. The powers of his spells were significantly stronger than before.

In addition, Merlin's Four-Elemental spell fusion also increased in strength. However, combining these Six-Elemental Wizard Hearts to consolidate the multicolored Wizard Heart, and become a Great Wizard was truly challenging.

"Phew…"

Merlin let out a long sigh of relief. In a low voice, he mumbled, "Time to fuse Darkness Eye!"

After consolidating Six-Elemental Wizard Hearts in a row, Merlin was now ready to continue his attempt to cultivate the seventh form of Darkness Eye. He had already completed the first step, so now he was beginning the second step, which was fusing Darkness Eye.

This was also a very crucial step, fusing Darkness Eye with the Darkness-type Wizard Heart. With Merlin's single thought, Darkness Eye appeared in his Awareness, and initiated to fuse with the Darkness-type Wizard Heart.

"Can they really fuse together?"

Merlin's heart was overjoyed. In reality, as long as someone was able to cultivate Darkness Eye to its sixth form, the seventh form was basically given. The only danger was that the Legend of Darkness would take this opportunity to gain control over the Spell Caster, turning the Spell Caster who had cultivated the seventh form of Darkness Eye into his puppet.

Merlin, on the other hand, was in no such danger as the threat had already been removed by the Blackfire Lord. Therefore, Merlin could boldly cultivate the seventh form of Darkness Eye.

Soon, Darkness Eye and the Darkness-type Wizard Heart were completely fused together. The last remaining step was to integrate his Mind Power with Darkness Eye.

This was the last step of cultivating the seventh form of Darkness Eye as well as the most critical step. Upon success, the seventh form would be unlocked.

"Hum."

Merlin gathered his enormous Mind Power, and entered his Awareness. In fact, it also affected the other Wizard Hearts as they were vibrating constantly. This proved how powerful Merlin's Mind Power really was.

"Fuse!"

Merlin growled, and the huge Mind Power swiftly covered Darkness Eye like a huge wave of flood.

"Boom."

Merlin's Mind Power instantly entered an endless blood-red sea that was howling madly with an incessant stench of blood. There was also a myriad of horrible negative emotions crashing down like a tide, fiercely attacking Merlin's Awareness.

At the same time, Merlin did not notice that behind him, traces of crimson light began to converge, and a giant apparition of a crimson eye slowly appeared…

Chapter 625: The Seventh Form

"So, this is the seventh form of Darkness Eye!"

Merlin's consciousness was battered by an endless onslaught of negative emotions. An average Spell Caster or even a Spell Caster who had consolidated a Mind Heart, would not be able to withstand it.

Only those Spell Casters whose consciousness had been taken control, and became puppets would be able to withstand the onslaught of negative emotions, hence successfully cultivating the seventh form of Darkness Eye.

It was not surprising that despite the Legend of Darkness' unwillingness, he still handed over the cultivation method of Darkness Eye, and did not try to interfere. That was because the final step of cultivating the seventh form of Darkness Eye was already inherently filled with unimaginable danger, almost to the point of death.

Perhaps, the Legend of Darkness Oflas was currently waiting for Merlin to cultivate the seventh form of Darkness Eye as soon as possible so that when the onslaught of negative emotions hit, Merlin's consciousness would collapse, and no longer exist.

"The real danger is actually right here… Too bad, Legend of Darkness Oflas, you probably didn't expect that someone managed to perfect the Mind Power system to this extent, right?"

A smile quirked up around the corners of Merlin's mouth. The sudden onslaught of negative emotions was indeed terrifying. With just a tiny lapse in concentration, even a Spell Caster who had reached the second step of Hallucinating spells like the Blackfire Lord would not be able to withstand it.

Merlin, on the other hand, had graduated to the third step of Hallucinating spells, and was an entire tier above almost all the other Mind Power Masters. Therefore, though these negative emotions were more than ten times stronger than what he had ever felt before, they only gave Merlin a vague feeling of impact. His enormous Mind Power had suppressed them firmly, and the negative emotions vanished without a trace.

"Darkness Eye, Silencing Ray!"

Merlin fiercely opened his eyes. Behind him, the strange giant crimson eye appeared to blink open, then shot out rays of crimson lights, violently ricocheting around the secret chamber.

"Rumble."

The entire secret chamber shook strongly, but soon, a magical pulse stabilized it. This was, after all, Arcane Wizard Setoh's castle, so it was impossible for even the most preeminent Great Wizard to destabilize the castle.

Right now, the secret chamber was shaken. This spoke volumes of Merlin's Darkness Eye. The seventh form, Silencing Ray, truly was comparable to the power of a Great Legend!

"It's time to go out. I wonder what has happened outside?"

There was a smile on Merlin's mouth. He was very satisfied with the seventh form of Darkness Eye. He was also the first Wizard who had successfully cultivated Darkness Eye without being controlled by the Legend of Darkness. Perhaps, even the Legend of Darkness Oflas did not know how Merlin managed to cultivate the seventh form of Darkness Eye.

So, with a wave of his hand, Merlin opened the secret chamber. Immediately, a black figure flew straight at him.

"Meow."

The black cat Didimoss, as fat as a large dog, flew toward Merlin. Looking at the secret chamber with a puzzled expression, he asked Merlin, "What happened earlier? Your secret chamber was shaking. This is the old fart Setoh's castle, it's practically impossible to leave even a scratch on it."

"It's nothing."

Merlin shook his head gently, and did not explain. Instead, he asked Didimoss, "Where are Teacher Blackfire and Arcane Wizard Setoh?"

He noted that the Blackfire Lord's figure was nowhere to be seen in the main foyer.

The black cat Didimoss replied unconcernedly, "Hehe, what else, of course they're at the front line. While you were in the secret chamber, there has been a lot of changes at the front line. I heard that the Rock Tribe had begun moving again. Two days ago, the Blackfire Lord and Setoh hurried there."

"The Rock Tribe is making another move?"

Merlin frowned slightly. He had spent several months in the secret chamber. Seeing that the Rock Tribe had been quiet for so long, they must have been gathering their strength and were ready to start all over again. He did not expect that the battle would resume so soon.

"If there are changes at the front line, then I'll leave now. Do you know how to leave this castle?"

Setoh Castle was not a place that anyone could just come and go as they liked. Without Arcane Wizard Setoh's permission, even a Great Lord would not be able to enter and exit.

The black cat Didimoss pointed at the main door. "Don't worry, you can enter and leave Setoh Castle at any time. That old fart had already given you permission. You won't encounter any problems entering and leaving this castle."

Merlin was doubtful but he headed directly toward the door.

"Creak."

Sure enough, the door seemed to be slightly sentient. As Merlin approached, the door slowly swung open. Merlin glanced at the sky outside, and took a step out. Then, he immediately flew away from the Alabaster Dimension.

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Outside the Seely Dimension, there was a huge castle suspended awkwardly in the middle of the Void Zone. It was very conspicuous. Nevertheless, many Spell Casters looked at this castle with reverence in their eyes. Not only was it a very powerful casting tool but it was also the temporary command center of Arcane Wizard Setoh, one of the three greatest Ultimate Arcane

Wizards of the Spell Caster civilization. In the entire Seely Dimension, the Spell Casters almost no longer had any room to maneuver. It was once again occupied by the Rock Tribe.

This time, the Spell Casters also gathered almost all the powerful Wizards at the front line. This upcoming battle with the Rock Tribe was inevitable!

In the splendid golden foyer, Arcane Wizard Setoh was sitting on a big chair while the four Great Lords, namely the Blackfire Lord, the Arctic Lord, the Sorrow Lord, and the Nightmare Lord flanked his two sides.

Further down, there was another eighteen Honored Legends and more than a hundred Great Legends. Certainly, this was not the most powerful force of the entire Spell Caster civilization but it was a considerably strong force.

This was also the first line of attack in the war against the Rock Tribe with Arcane Wizard Setoh guarding the front line. Usually, a civilization war would be guarded by only one Ultimate Arcane Wizard. After all, the Spell Caster civilization did not only have the Rock Tribe as their enemies, so the other two Ultimate Arcane Wizards would stay guard in different places.

Although there were only four Great Lords present, Arcane Wizard Setoh himself had many avatars, each of which was comparable to the most preeminent Great Lord. Therefore, besides a foreign tribe civilization, this force was completely undefeatable by any Spell Caster force.

At this moment, however, all these Wizards wore a somber expression, like something big had occurred.

"Everyone, I'm sure all of you know by now know that the Rock Tribe has dispatched their civilization-level prodigies. This is the strongest force that can be used before triggering a civilization war! The Seely Dimension has now been re-occupied by the Rock Tribe. I believe that they must be hiding a few more civilization-level prodigies. I estimate there may be three or four civilization-level prodigies!"

Arcane Wizard Setoh swept a glance across the numerous Great Legends below him. The most basic element of a civilization war was the involvement of Great Legends in the fight. That would mark the beginning of a civilization war.

A civilization war was something that no civilization would wish to happen. Even the Rock Tribe only wanted to consume a few Spell Caster dimensions before the civilization war erupted, so that they would have a wider passage into the Void Zone.

In reality, the Rock Tribe was situated in a very awkward position. The Void Zone situated behind them was a very dangerous and chaotic territory. Furthermore, there were numerous horrible creatures that were surviving in the Void Zone. The dimensions located in the Void Zone were unstable and only contained half-formed dimensions which were incomplete. Hence, the Rock Tribe did not dare to venture into the dimensions behind them.

As such, they could only venture into their surroundings. However, their surroundings on the left and right were occupied by the powerful God Alliance. Although the God Alliance was not very united, it still comprised of the eight largest god organizations, which would make any civilization wary. If a civilization war was triggered, and the eight largest god organization managed to unite, the Rock Tribe civilization would not be able to resist them.

Therefore, the only remaining alternative was the Spell Caster civilization. Breaking past the Spell Caster civilization was their only hope!

However, the Spell Caster civilization was also in a precarious situation. They were surrounded by powerful foreign tribe civilizations everywhere. So, if they allowed the Rock Tribe to advance forward, and clear open a passageway, then in the long run, the Spell Caster civilization would be in greater danger.

Both major civilizations had their own reasons for not being able to retreat as the implications involved the survival and development of the entire civilization. More often than not, the brutal civilization wars were driven by such inescapable circumstances.

"We also have Civilization-level prodigies! Great Wizard Setoh, the civilization-level prodigies from the three great Arcane Cities must've arrived, right?"

An Honored Legend could not help but ask. A civilization-level prodigy was an important key in determining the outcome of a war, in circumstances preceding a civilization war.

"Of course, they've arrived. Yad, Courtney, Sven, come out."

A faint smile appeared on Wizard Setoh's face as he called loudly.

From behind the main foyer, three Spell Casters emerged. Seeing these three Spell Casters, all the Great Legends in the foyer descended into discussions with one another.

These three were not ordinary Spell Casters but civilization-level prodigies nurtured by the three great Arcane Cities. They were the most powerful prodigies in the three great Arcane Cities, and perhaps throughout the entire Spell Caster civilization.

In order to become a civilization-level prodigy, they would have to be able to compete against a Great Legend. Furthermore, these three did not merely have the ability to compete against Great Legends 1 but held an impressive track record of defeating ordinary Legends.

All these were despite being only Great Wizards!

"Alright, alright, the civilization-level prodigies from the three great Arcane Cities have arrived. It's time for the final battle. You must obliterate the fantasy of the Rock Tribe and let them know that it may be dangerous to provoke the God Alliance but the Spell Caster civilization isn't easy to be provoked either! They better retreat quietly, and not harbor any other intentions."

"Yes, the Rock Tribe thought that they could find a breakthrough point via the Spell Caster civilization. Hmph, did they think it would be easy? It's absolutely impossible to allow them to advance even a single step further. So, this time, we must completely destroy their fantasy!"

All the Great Legends held high esteems of the civilization-level prodigies from the three great Arcane Cities.

"Wizard Yad, Wizard Courtney, do you see that? The Great Legends have placed their confidence in you. Let's have the two of you go to the Seely Dimension first, and viciously strike the Rock Tribe's arrogance. We'll have them know that their civilization-level prodigies are still far behind!"

The two chosen civilization-level prodigies stood up, and gave a curt bow to Arcane Wizard Setoh. In a deep voice, they said, "Great Wizard Setoh, we'll defeat the civilization-level prodigies of the Rock Tribe, and regain control over the Seely Dimension."

"Very well, go now. The Great Legends will watch you from here."

Subsequently, the two civilization-level prodigies swiftly departed from the castle, and flew toward the Seely Dimension. In the castle, Arcane Wizard Setoh waved his hand, and an image appeared in the foyer. It was the two civilization-level prodigy Wizards.

This was the first final battle with the Rock Tribe as well as a battle of the foundations of two great civilizations. Thus, even the Great Legend would not sit idly but instead, watch the image closely.

Chapter 626: Civilization-Level Prodigy!

Merlin stood outside the Seely Dimension with a frown. Now, outside the Seely Dimension, stood a dense formation of numerous Spell Casters. Just as Merlin was about to enter the dimension, a familiar voice greeted him from behind, "Merlin? It's really you!"

"Swish swish."

Behind Merlin were the members of the Rainbow Squad. The Wizard who had noticed Merlin was Wizard Saturn.

"Wizard Saturn, I didn't expect to see all of you here."

Merlin also appeared pleased. He was a member of the Rainbow Squad, and had experienced life and death with Saturn and the others, so their relationship was very harmonious.

"Merlin, we tried looking for you throughout this period but you didn't come out after entering Setoh Castle. As you know, we're unable to enter Setoh Castle. Why are you trying to enter the Seely Dimension?"

Merlin wavered for a moment. Then, he pointed toward the dense formation of Spell Casters outside the Seely Dimension and asked, "What happened? Why are there so many Spell Casters outside the Seely Dimension?"

"You don't know?"

Saturn was slightly taken aback. He pointed at the Seely Dimension and explained, "Recently, a lot has happened. The Rock Tribe has launched a full-blown war, and sent their strongest forces. Among them are two civilization-level prodigies who are almost completely unbeatable. They have re-occupied the Seely Dimension. The Ultimate Arcane Wizard has announced preparations for the final battle, and summoned all Spell Casters to come to the front line."

"Civilization-level prodigies!"

Merlin muttered under his breath. He was not unfamiliar with this term. Back in the open territory, he not only knew of civilization-level prodigies but in fact, interacted with them. Alcra from the Tree Tribe had also transformed into a civilization-level prodigy.

Every civilization-level prodigy was almost comparable to a Great Legend. Although they were not actually Legends, their abilities were not the least inferior to a Great Legend.

If even the civilization-level prodigies had been sent out, the Rock Tribe was indeed gearing up for a final battle.

"Arcane Wizard Setoh can't be so easily stumped, right? According to rumors, each of the three great Arcane Cities has a civilization-level prodigy respectively…"

Just as Merlin's words fell, everyone's attention was captivated by the castle suspended in the Void Zone. At this very moment, the castle gates swung open. Two figures flew out of the castle, and headed directly toward the Seely Dimension.

Saturn squinted his eyes and whispered, "It's Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney. They are our civilization-level prodigies from the Spell Caster civilization. They're finally here!"

"The final battle has begun. The battle of the civilization-level prodigies!"

Outside the Seely Dimension, many Spell Caster recognized these two prodigies. The civilization-level prodigies of the three great Arcane Cities were known to most Great Wizards. Their fame was probably more well-known than some Great Legends within the Spell Caster civilization.

"Let's follow and take a look."

Merlin glanced at Saturn. The other members of the Rainbow Squad also seemed eager to follow. After all, a fight between civilization-level prodigies was a rare event. If not for the civilization war, perhaps they would never see it.

Moreover, there was another rumor about the civilization-level prodigies. Wizard Setoh, the most recent Arcane Wizard among the three great Arcane Wizards, was also a civilization-level prodigy before becoming a Legend.

Since Arcane Wizard Setoh was previously a civilization-level prodigy, many of the Spell Casters had speculated that perhaps, the civilization-level prodigies had potential to become Arcane Wizards?

However, it had been almost three thousand years since Arcane Wizard Setoh became a Great Arcane Wizard. Thereafter, the Spell Caster civilization had not given birth to another Ultimate Arcane Wizard.

With the entry of these two civilization-level prodigies into the Seely Dimension, many of the more confident teams also followed them into the Seely Dimension.

In the Seely Dimension, it was still filled with endless black rocks. The entire dimension no longer had any trace of elements. The Seely Dimension had already become an ice-cold world, only suitable for the survival of the Rock Tribe.

Currently, there was only one stronghold in the Seely Dimension, which was also the stronghold guarded by the two civilization-level prodigies of the Rock Tribe. At this time, the stronghold seemed to be prepared, and was quietly awaiting the arrival of Spell Casters.

Once the civilization-level prodigies of Arcane City flew above the stronghold, the two Rock Creatures suddenly flew upward, their bodies exuding oppressive auras. Even though they were not Legends, they appeared to possess the formidable powers of a Legend.

"Aroyo, Samka! The two civilization-level prodigies of the Rock Tribe!"

These two Rock Creatures were different from the rest of the Rock Tribe. Their bodies emitted a dark red glow, so they looked very distinctive.

"The Spell Casters are finally willing to send you here? Wizard Yad, Wizard Courtney, the civilization-level prodigies of Arcane City, who once defeated a Great Legend! There's no right or wrong in a civilization battle. Let's rock!"

The two Rock Creatures, Aroyo and Samka, began to glow dimly. The dark red glow on their bodies flashed faster as their bodies grew taller, and their auras became more intimidating.

"Attack!"

Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney exchanged a glance, and each marked a Rock Creature. With a wave of their hands, they seemed to sprinkle a rainbow-colored ray. The colorful light rays illuminated the entire sky into a gorgeous scene.

"Boom."

This gorgeous rainbow contained terrifying powers that could rival a Great Legend. Such power could break even a Great Legend's Maxim.

A Maxim was a sublimation of spells, and was completely different in terms of power. Maxims were a higher-level power. In essence, Maxims were infinitely more powerful than spells but the spells of these civilization-level prodigies had already exceeded an ordinary Legend's Maxim power.

"The power to break a Maxim… Perhaps, after I combine the Six-Elemental Wizard Heart and become a Great Wizard, I can have the power to break a Maxim!"

Merlin's gaze was transfixed on Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney in the battlefield. Such absolute spell power was Merlin's current inadequacy.

If he relied on the Illusory World and other supplementary powers, Merlin would be more formidable than an average Legend. However, his spells were still far from the levels achieved by the civilization-level prodigies.

On the other hand, these two civilization-level prodigies were completely self-sufficient in terms of spells. They had the power to break a Maxim and rival a Great Legend!

"Roar…"

However, the two civilization-level prodigies of the Rock Tribe would not be sitting ducks. They were also civilization-level prodigies that could rival an Ancestor-level Rock Creature. Amid the ear-splitting roars, the two Rock Creatures hardened further, and grew taller. Then, they extended a gigantic hand and swung a punch.

A shockwave, almost visible to the naked eye, vibrated through the air. Two mighty forces collided violently in mid-air.

"Chi."

There was no earth-shattering explosion. Instead, an invisible vibration spread out in all directions. The surrounding space began to crack in a spider web-like pattern.

"Crack."

There was a crisp sound, and the space of the Seely Dimension was destroyed in an instant. The sky turned dark. The entire Seely Dimension seemed to be "wailing".

In an ordinary dimension, should a Great Legend wield his powers without regard to consequences, the destructive power could cause a dimension to collapse entirely.

What more a legendary battle between four civilization-level prodigies. This was no different from an epic battle between four Great Legends.

Nevertheless, this was just the beginning. Despite space being torn apart, the Seely Dimension could recover quickly. Self-recovery was an ability possessed by a complete dimension.

In the first confrontation, the two sides were equally matched. However, the dark red glow on the backs of the two civilization-level prodigy Rock Creatures began to coalesce into a huge apparition.

"Boom."

Aroyo and Samka slammed a foot brutally onto the ground. Suddenly, countless rocks were reduced to rubble, and mountains collapsed into dirt. It seemed like the entire dimension was shaking.

The two of them rushed forward again. The rainbow light in Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney's hands glowed several times brighter. This was their spell fusion, thus, it could undergo hundreds and thousands of permutations. The rainbow light swiftly turned into two shields in front of their bodies.

"Boom."

Again, it was a head-on collision. The two spell-conjured shields shattered immediately but the broken shards turned into blazing flames. Then, like two fire dragons, they stretched open their mouths and fiercely snapped at the two Rock Creatures.

Aroyo and Samka did not seem afraid. They hurtled a fist toward the fire dragons, and the fire dragons' bodies dissipated. This time, they transformed into a large web which soared toward the Rock Creatures.

The two sides traded one blow after another. Just a few crossfires had caused terrible damage to the landscape. The inherent danger was even more worrisome.

Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney's mastery of spells was truly superhuman and awe-inspiring. The greatest difference between a Great Wizard and a Ninth-level Spell Caster was the Wizard Heart. For a Ninth-level Spell Caster to wield a spell, he would need to simulate each Spell Model to release the spell. Thus, not only was there a lag in time but the changes between spells were also not as instinctive and uninterrupted.

Great Wizards, on the other hand, were able to do that. Once they had consolidated the colorful Wizard Heart, their spells would become ever-changing. They could wield any spell and change its form. From a frigid Ice-type spell to a blazing flame spell or even ice crystals encrusted in flames, was possible. They could even bend the laws of nature.

"Amazing, amazing, truly amazing! It's not surprising that they are the civilization-level prodigies. Not only are their spells powerful but even their techniques are almost flawless!"

Saturn was watching attentively. Like Merlin, he was also looking at Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney's mastery of spells. Initially, Saturn was quite an arrogant prodigy. He was the

mightiest existence below a Legend. He even thought that the only difference between him and the civilization-level prodigies was merely the shortfall in perfect-grade spells.

Right now, however, he genuinely admired Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney!

Saturn was not alone in his revelation. Merlin, too, felt the blindfolds lifted from his eyes. Just watching the battle between the civilization-level prodigies would give him an edge later when he combined his Spell Models. Among his spells, most of them were perfect-grade spells, so it was extremely difficult to combine them. These civilization-level Wizards were basically similar to Merlin as they too, had many perfect-grade spells. Hence, they were a good reference point for Merlin.

"Boom."

Another violent shock rippled through. The Seely Dimension began to vibrate strongly. The mountains tumbled, the grounds cracked, and the space shattered. All of these were the mark of a dimension that was about to collapse.

"The Seely Dimension can't hold on any longer?"

Merlin frowned. The four civilization-level prodigies had been fighting for less than half a day but the Seely Dimension was already on the brink of collapse.

Chapter 627: Extreme Danger!

The Seely Dimension began to tremor like it would fall apart the very next moment.

"Wizard Setoh, if this continues, the Seely Dimension won't be able to hold on much longer!"

In the castle suspended in the Void Zone, one of the four Lords, the Nightmare Lord, said with a frown. They could clearly see the tremors even from the image conjured by Arcane Wizard Setoh.

"No choice, reinforcement it is. Although the Seely Dimension had been altered by the Rock Tribe, it's still a barrier to protect the Spell Caster civilization. Without the Seely Dimension, our Alabaster Dimension, as well as hundreds of other dimensions, would be susceptible to the

Rock Tribe. Moreover, I believe Hanra also won't want the altered Seely Dimension to be destroyed."

After Arcane Wizard Setoh had finished speaking, he extended a finger and tapped gently in the direction of the Seely Dimension.

"Hum."

A magical power, different than the Maxim of any Great Legend, shrouded the Seely Dimension. The originally almost-collapsing Seely Dimension immediately became exceptionally sturdy, to the point that a full force attack from a Great Legend would not be able to break the space.

In the Rock Tribe's palace, many powerful Rock Creatures were also anxiously watching the fight between the civilization-level prodigies that was unfolding in the Seely Dimension. This would determine whether the Rock Tribe would be able to achieve their goals before the war.

Seeing the magical power shrouding around the Seely Dimension, some of the Rock Creatures could not help but interject, "Great Progenitor Hanra, that Arcane Wizard Setoh from the Spell Caster civilization is intervening in the Seely Dimension, this is…"

Before he could finish his words, Progenitor Hanra waved his hand and said, "It doesn't matter. Setoh is just stabilizing the Seely Dimension. He doesn't want the Seely Dimension to be destroyed. Do we want to lose a good dimension for nothing? Never mind, Setoh doesn't dare to intervene directly. Now, it's almost time to give Setoh a surprise."

Progenitor Hanra waved his hand. Two of the four dark red Rock Creatures beside him took a step forward. Progenitor Hanra said in a deep voice, "The two of you, go. We're not seeking victory, only stability! Setoh will believe that the Rock Tribe only has four civilization-level prodigies. All you need to do is draw out as many civilization-level prodigies as you can that the Spell Casters are hiding."

The two Rock Creatures exchanged a glance, and nodded with a solemn expression. They had already received their instructions beforehand but Hanra was slightly worried, so he reminded them again.

"Alright, go!"

As soon as Progenitor Hanra's voice subsided, the two Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies swiftly flew away.

"Progenitor, will the plan really succeed?"

Behind Progenitor Hanra were another two similarly dark red Rock Creatures, who asked hesitantly.

"With the two of you here, we'll definitely succeed. What worries me now is whether Setoh would turn humiliation into fury, and directly launch the civilization war! Both of you, inform all the Ancestor-level Rock Creatures to prepare outside the Seely Dimension, and be ready to enter any time!"

The two dark red Rock Creatures exchanged a quick look, and departed respectfully.

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"Civilization-level prodigies… I didn't expect that in the past two thousand over years, the Spell Caster civilization had developed so quickly. Do you know, back when I was still in the Spell Caster civilization before entering the Slothful Beast World, how many civilization-level Wizards there were? Only one. Amid countless dimensions, there was only one civilization-level prodigy! Right now, there are at least three on the surface. Hehe, I believe they're furtively hiding a few more civilization-level prodigies. The rate of development of the Spell Caster civilization is truly breathtaking…"

Merlin merely glanced at the ring on his hand, and did not respond to Titus in the illusion bead. Nevertheless, Merlin agreed with Titus' inference. The Spell Caster civilization had been developing so quickly, so there must be more than the three publicly known civilization-level prodigies from the three great Arcane Cities.

"Hmm? Merlin, look, the Rock Tribe is sending reinforcements, and they're dark red Rock Creatures as well. This time, there are two of them. Oh my, the Rock Tribe actually has four civilization-level prodigies!"

"The Rock Tribe has four civilization-level prodigies, exceeding the three civilization-level Wizards of the three great Arcane Cities. This is the trump card that the Rock Tribe had spent so much time preparing!"

Many Spell Casters saw that the Rock Tribe had sent another two civilization-level prodigies, making them a total of four who were tightly suppressing the two civilization-level Wizards. All their expressions turned grave.

"Aroyo, Samka, Progenitor Hanra sent us to help you. Let's join forces and suppress these two Spell Casters."

"Alright, let's suppress them!"

The four Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies surrounded Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney. A huge dark red apparition appeared behind each Rock Creature, ready to suppress the two Spell Casters.

The evenly matched situation was broken. Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney immediately found themselves in a disadvantageous position. Their situation turned precarious.

At this time, Arcane Wizard Setoh, who was watching the changes unfolding in the Seely Dimension from the Void Zone castle, did not appear the least concerned. On the contrary, a smile appeared on his face as he quietly murmured, "Finally, you can't help it. Hanra, you were relying on these four civilization-level prodigies? After so many years, the Rock Tribe managed to nurture four civilization-level prodigies. If it were other civilizations, they might not necessarily be able to counter that… However, the Spell Caster civilization was able to develop into a powerful civilization in a mere three thousand years after stepping foot into the Void Zone. Is that something the Rock Tribe can ever hope to achieve? Since this is the final battle, it's time to burst your fantasy. Four of you, go together now, and don't spare any mercy. If you can kill one Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigy, it would be our victory, and if you can kill two… Haha, the Rock Tribe won't dare to make another move in the next one thousand years!"

"Wizard Setoh, don't worry, we'll do our best to kill those Rock Creatures, and smash the Rock Tribe's fantasy!"

Subsequently, these four civilization-level Wizards left the castle, and flew to the Seely Dimension as quickly as possible.

The four Lords beside Setoh finally showed a smile on their faces. The Arctic Lord even grinned. "The outcome is decided. Now, we just have to be prepared in case Hanra turns humiliation into fury, and sends the Legends. That would cascade into a violent civilization war. No matter who wins in the end, there'll not be any benefit."

Setoh nodded. "Yes, we should be prepared. Blackfire Lord, Arctic Lord, Nightmare Lord, and Sorrow Lord, the four Lords will each lead some Great Legends and wait outside the Seely Dimension. If Hanra is really desperate, then we'll fight. Although the Spell Caster civilization is unwilling to see a civilization war, it doesn't mean that we're afraid!"

The four Lords glanced at each other, and stood up. Leading most of the Legends in the main foyer, they left the castle, and flew formidably toward the Seely Dimension.

Such a large movement naturally attracted the attention of many Spell Casters. Sensing the formidable auras, all the Spell Casters felt overwhelmed in their hearts.

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"Merlin, the cavalry has arrived. Four civilization-level Wizards, there's four of them! Adding Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney, there are a total of six civilization-level prodigies!"

Saturn suddenly pointed to the four unfamiliar Spell Casters who were descending. Besides Wizard Sven, who was widely recognized as one of the civilization-level prodigies of Arcane City, the other three Wizards were completely unfamiliar.

Nonetheless, there was no doubt that they were also civilization-level Wizards. They were the secret prodigies who were hidden away. Now that the battle with the Rock Tribe had almost reached its boiling point, the arrival of these four civilization-level Wizards would be a decisive force!

"There's more behind!"

Merlin squinted and saw that after the four civilization-level Wizards descended, there was another formidable force lined up outside the Seely Dimension. This group of formidable Spell Casters exuded a frightening aura, enough to overwhelm anyone.

"The four Lords with hundreds of Great Legends! Is the final battle going to erupt?"

Even Wizard Saturn was overwhelmed seeing so many great existences gathered together, let alone the other Spell Casters. Perhaps, in their entire lives, they had never witnessed such a frightening army.

"Probably it might not be a final battle, but they're here as a precaution. It all depends on the outcome between the two sides' civilization-level prodigies. If the Rock Tribe loses and turns humiliation into fury, I'm afraid a civilization war will erupt!"

Merlin took a deep breath and murmured but he could only guess. No one would be able to predict the direction of these two major civilizations. Even the Ultimate Arcane Wizards could not see the future.

Everyone was paying close attention to what was happening in the Seely Dimension. As soon as the four civilization-level Wizards appeared, the odds were reversed. A total of six civilization-level Wizards wielded their spells, and immediately trapped those four Rock Creatures.

However, there was not a single trace of anxiety on the faces of the four trapped Rock Creatures. They exchanged glances with a glint of malice.

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In the Rock Tribe dimension, seeing that the Spell Casters had sent four civilization-level prodigies, Progenitor Hanra stood up abruptly, and stared cruelly at the Seely Dimension.

"Hehe, Setoh, you think victory is in hand with these six civilization-level prodigies? Two of you, go out, form the Progenitor's Body, and kill those six civilization-level Spell Casters!"

The two dark red Rock Creatures behind Progenitor Hanra revealed a sinister smile. They seemed eager, and left for Seely Dimension immediately.

"Swish swish."

Two flashes of red light swiftly landed in the battlefield of the Seely Dimension. The arrival of these two uninvited guests brought an effect of emptying an ice bucket over the heads of all Spell Casters outside the Seely Dimension.

It was another two Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies. The Rock Tribe also had six civilization-level prodigies. If that was all, then perhaps the six Spell Casters might still be equally matched.

However, all the Spell Casters knew that the Rock Tribe only needed to gather in groups for five in order to form the terrifying Progenitor's Body!

"On the orders of Progenitor Hanra, kill these six Spell Casters!"

As the voices of the two dark red Rock Creatures fell, the four Rock Creatures trapped in the middle let out a large roar. The dark red light on their bodies covered almost the entire sky.

Under that dark red light, these six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies slowly combine into a terrifying giant, far exceeding the ordinary Legend's Progenitor's Body.

In an instant, the situation spiraled downward. The six civilization-level Spell Casters were caught in extreme danger!

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"Crash."

The gigantic Progenitor's Body was covered under the dark red light. An enormous hand, as big as a nimbus cloud covering half the sky, slammed down violently.

All the six Spell Casters wielded their strongest powers and erected six shields before proceeding to add one layer after another for reinforcements. Their abilities were unable to match the Progenitor's Body's height, so they could only add on more layers. It was impossible to avoid the Progenitor's Body's terrifying blow.

"Crack crack."

However, the shields shattered in succession. Despite using all their might, the six civilization-level Wizards could not stop the Progenitor's Body's palm.

Six pieces of shields crumbled like paper as the Progenitor's Body landed directly on the six civilization-level Wizards. As a result, the six civilization-level Wizards were sent flying.

Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney, who stood at the very front, received the full brunt of the Progenitor's Body power. They were instantly crushed, and their auras disappeared.

Two civilization-level Wizards, dead!

The entire battlefield turned silent. The expressions of numerous Spell Casters lined outside the Seely Dimension fell. Who would have thought that, just a moment ago, they were holding the upper hand in an advantageous situation, but suddenly, everything was reversed by the Rock Tribe and directly killed two civilization-level Wizards?

Although the four remaining civilization-level Wizards did not die, they were grievously injured. In addition, the Progenitor's Body did not stop. It stepped forward once again and slammed both hands down. Obviously, it would not stop until it killed the four remaining civilization-level Wizards.

At this time, Arcane Wizard Setoh could no longer sit still. Once the Rock Tribe had sent six civilization-level prodigies, he knew that he had been tricked. This had been planned by Hanra from the beginning in order to kill the six civilization-level prodigies of the Spell Caster civilization.

The civilization-level prodigies played an important role in a war. Moreover, every civilization-level prodigy had unimaginable potential, and at the very least, would become a Great Honored Legend or perhaps even a powerful Lord! How could Wizard Setoh watch them die with his own eyes?

"Hanra, you dare?"

On the sky above the Seely Dimension, a huge apparition of a palm appeared out of nowhere. There seemed to be no trace of any Maxim or element but this palm could destroy everything.

Everyone who saw this palm felt a sense of reverence in their hearts, and could not muster any ounce of resistance.

This huge palm grabbed the four remaining civilization-level Wizards. Then, a finger twitched and flicked gently at the gigantic Progenitor's Body.

This was none other than an Ultimate Arcane Wizard. Even the real Progenitor's Body was considered nothing in Wizard Setoh's eyes, let alone the Progenitor's Body formed by a few Ancestor-level Rock Creatures.

"Bang."

A flick of a finger did not destroy the Progenitor's Body. This was because at this time, an immensely huge apparition rose up in the middle of the Seely Dimension, protecting the Progenitor's Body behind it.

This was the real Progenitor's Body!

"Setoh, you want to fight it out?"

The move was made by the Rock Progenitor Hanra. His immense true form emitted a suffocating pressure as he confronted Arcane Wizard Setoh's huge hand in the air.

The two impressive existences had merely released a tiny sliver of their powers. However, the entire Seely Dimension began to shake violently as if unable to withstand the power of these two great existences.

In fact, if an Ultimate Arcane Wizard had acted, none of the dimensions would be able to withstand the attack. Even if they fought in the Void Zone, the aftershocks could destroy countless dimensions.

"Hmph, Hanra, the war has just begun!"

It was clear that Arcane Wizard Setoh was not prepared to launch a civilization war. Therefore, he would not start a battle with Progenitor Hanra here. It was already lucky enough that he was able to save the four remaining civilization-level Wizards.

A cold snort later, Arcane Wizard Setoh's huge apparition palm began to dissipate. A ray of light enclosed the four remaining civilization-level Wizards, and exited the Seely Dimension.

"All of you, come back. I'll send someone else to control the Seely Dimension!"

Progenitor Hanra's body also gradually vanished. Due to the powers of the two ultimate existences, the entire Seely Dimension suffered tremendous damage. It would take hundreds of years for it to recover.

"All Spell Casters, retreat to the Alabaster Dimension!"

Arcane Wizard Setoh's voice reverberated in the ears of every Spell Caster, causing many of them to awaken from their stupor. After watching the situation taking a turn for the worse, and hearing Arcane Wizard Setoh's command, there was no lingering doubt. In this first confrontation and first final battle, the Spell Casters had lost!

"We lost, the Seely Dimension is lost, and more than a dozen dimensions at the front line will also be lost…"

The numerous Spell Casters at the front line were extremely depressed. After fighting so many years against the Rock Tribe at the front line, the Spell Casters had lost the final battle to the Rock Tribe.

"Wizard Merlin, we've been temporarily defeated. The Rock Tribe has six civilization-level prodigies whereas we've lost two, and only have four left. Moreover, the Rock Tribe is still able to form the Progenitor's Body. Without the Legends' involvement, there's no more hope for the Spell Casters to win. Let's go, we'll return to the Alabaster Dimension and wait. After this, other than Arcane Wizard Setoh allowing the Legends to fight and launch a civilization war, we have no other options. Unless we're willing to relinquish those dozens of dimensions, and allow the Rock Tribe to become even more aggressive…"

Saturn shook his head in despair. He was the mightiest existence below a Legend, and played a significant role preceding the Legends' involvement as well as had a large impact on the development of the war.

Nevertheless, once a civilization war erupted, and the Great Legends started to intervene, the Great Legends, Honored Legends, and Great Lords all possessed unimaginable destructive powers. A single Maxim could even shatter a dimension.

At that time, Spell Casters below the level of Legends might still prove useful but their impact on the outcome of the war would be significantly reduced.

Merlin took a deep look at the worn-out state of the Seely Dimension. He did not know what would happen next in this war.

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In Setoh Castle, the four Lords, eighteen Honored Legends, and hundreds of Great Legends were currently silent but the atmosphere was frightfully deafening.

In the main foyer, the four civilization-level Wizards looked ashen.

At last, the last remaining Wizard from the three great Arcane Cities, Wizard Sven, fell to his knees before the main foyer. He gritted his teeth. "Great Wizard Setoh, we were inadequate. We failed to defeat the Rock Tribe and instead, we lost Wizard Yad and Wizard Courtney."

Wizard Setoh did not utter a word. A long pause ensued. Then, he shook his hand in a dismissive gesture. "This has nothing to do with you. It was my fault for not thinking it through. All of you get up and stand aside."

These four civilization-level Wizards were also powerless. In the face of a Progenitor's Body formed by six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies, there was no hope of victory.

"Four Lords, what do you think we should do now?"

Wizard Setoh looked at the four Lords before him. They were the strongest existences second only to Setoh at the front line. Each of them could destroy a weaker civilization on their own.

"Wizard Setoh, no one below a Legend can defeat a Progenitor's Body formed by those six Rock Creatures. With more than five civilization-level prodigies, the Rock Tribe is truly formidable. Besides a Legend, I really can't think of anyone who can stand against them. Even

if we had ten civilization-level prodigies, I don't think we can win. Unless we also have a few civilization-level prodigies who are proficient in runology and can form a Runic Magic Circle, then we might have a fighting chance!"

The Nightmare Lord said slowly. Like the Blackfire Lord, he was a very ancient Lord who had existed since the Molta Empire. His position was extremely respected in the eyes of all Spell Caster.

"A civilization-level Wizard who is proficient in runology? We don't have a single one, what more a few?"

Arcane Wizard Setoh's heart was filled with hesitation. If he allowed the Legends to intervene, it would mean that he was the one who started a brutal civilization war.

The brutality that accompanied a civilization war was well-known to Arcane Wizard Setoh. Previously, all the civilization wars he started were to deal with some weaker civilizations, and mostly ended with genocide.

This time, however, their opponent was the Rock Tribe civilization who had two Rock Progenitors. This was a powerful civilization that was not much inferior to the Spell Caster civilization.

Until it was a last resort, Arcane Wizard would not want to launch a civilization war at all cost.

As for relinquishing the Seely Dimension, Arcane Wizard Setoh did not even consider it for a moment. The Spell Caster civilization had never made any concessions. In addition, if they relinquished the Seely Dimension, hundreds of dimensions would be exposed to the Rock Tribe, which was something the Spell Caster civilization did not want to occur.

The entire foyer fell into a depressed atmosphere.

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"Progenitor, this time we swept a clean victory whereas the Spell Casters hit rock bottom. They'll no longer pose a threat to us!"

In the Rock Tribe dimension, countless powerful Rock Creatures were cheering and celebrating. This time, they had truly defeated the Spell Caster civilization. Currently, there was not a single Spell Caster in the dozens of dimensions at the front line.

This was a momentous victory that was worth celebrating.

However, Progenitor Hanra's expression did not relax. After some time, he let out a long sigh. "All Ancestor-level Rock Creatures, make your preparations. When it's necessary, mobilize the entire Rock Tribe. Setoh and the Spell Caster civilization behind him wouldn't admit defeat easily. Over the past three thousand years, how many wars did you see the Spell Casters lose? Most likely, a civilization war will be erupting!"

"A civilization war?"

Upon mention of this phrase, even the Ancestor-level Rock Tribe descended into silence.

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The Alabaster Dimension was tightly packed with Spell Casters, almost covering the entire dimension. Nevertheless, all the Spell Casters' moods were quite sunken, not only because they had temporarily lost the battle but more importantly, this defeat might prompt the Ultimate Arcane Wizard to launch a civilization war.

A civilization war was an event that would see continuous losses of Great Legends. Even the Honored Legends were not exempted from its brutality. As for those below a Legend, they were almost considered cannon fodder, and would die by the millions.

Merlin stayed in the Alabaster Dimension the entire day but still, he did not know how the Spell Caster civilization would react. If a decision was made to start a civilization war, that would be the worst-case scenario. Regardless of whether it was the Rock Tribe civilization or the Spell Caster civilization, no one would benefit from it.

"Teacher Zado, as a Great Legend, you must know what's going on, right? Has Arcane Wizard Setoh made a decision?"

Merlin asked Legend Zado's avatar inside his ring. He only had this communication channel left, to find out what was going on in the higher levels of the Spell Caster civilization.

After a moment, Legend Zado's avatar responded but he simply shook his head helplessly. "No decision has been made. The situation is very tricky. No one below a Legend can handle the Progenitor's Body formed by the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies but we also cannot allow the Rock Tribe to obtain the dozens of dimensions at the front line as that would further deteriorate the overall condition of the Spell Caster civilization. Therefore, I'm afraid Wizard Setoh will allow the Legends to intervene, thus launching a civilization war!"

Merlin was stricken. It was truly the worst-case scenario. Wizard Setoh had no other options other than to launch a civilization war.

Merlin thought of the Seely people. Their civilization was reduced to ashes, and their dimension had been completely altered. From millions of Seely people, there were probably less than a thousand people, left to wander among the Spell Caster civilization.

This was the sorrow of a weak civilization!

Ever since Merlin witnessed the struggle of several weak civilizations, he had completely integrated himself with the Spell Caster civilization. The prosperity of the civilization would provide hope for him to become stronger. On the contrary, if the civilization was wiped out, he would not have a future to speak of.

The rise and fall of the Spell Caster civilization were vital to every Spell Caster! This was the reason why the Arcane Wizards and even the plunderers were anxious. Compared to the life and death of the civilization, the previous "evil" of the plunderers were considered insignificant.

"Teacher Zado, a civilization war cannot be started easily. Please, can you pass a message to Arcane Wizard Setoh? I'm willing to face the Progenitor's Body formed by the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies!"

"Huh? You're willing to try?"

Legend Zado raised his head abruptly, his face filled with surprise, feeling like he was meeting Merlin for the first time all over again!

Chapter 629: Eve

In Setoh Castle, the main foyer was tightly packed with numerous Great Legends but everyone was completely silent as they fixed their gazes on Arcane Wizard Setoh up above.

Arcane Wizard Setoh deliberated for a long time, and finally made up his mind. Slowly, he said, "The dozens of dimensions at the front line, we simply cannot give up! All of you, start making preparations. All the Legends will be intervening. Go now…"

"Whoosh."

Before he could finish speaking, a Great Legend below suddenly stood up!

"Arcane Wizard Setoh, I have something to say!"

"Hmm? Legend Zado, do you have a suggestion?"

Arcane Wizard Setoh frowned, not knowing what Legend Zado wanted to say at this juncture.

Legend Zado stood up, and looked around the numerous Great Legends around him. He said in a deep voice, "Great Wizard Setoh, a civilization war cannot be started easily! As for the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies, I have a candidate who's willing to give it a try!"

"You have a candidate?"

Not only Arcane Wizard Setoh was astonished but many other Great Legends gave a skeptical look. Who, beneath a Great Legend, could possibly defeat the Progenitor's Body formed by the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies?

"Yes, he's my disciple as well as the Blackfire Lord's disciple, Merlin!"

Wizard Zado also looked at the Blackfire Lord. Upon hearing the name "Merlin", both the Blackfire Lord and Arcane Wizard Setoh's expressions paled slightly.

"Merlin? How could he possibly defeat the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies?"

Arcane Wizard Setoh's expression sunk. Although Merlin was a very powerful Mind Power master, Arcane Wizard Setoh could see from the last battle that Merlin was only equivalent to the mightiest existences below a Legend. Perhaps, due to the uniqueness of Mind Power masters, he might be infinitely close to the existence of a civilization-level prodigy.

However, Merlin had not yet become a real civilization-level prodigy, let alone to defeat the Progenitor's Body formed by six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies.

Legend Zado shook his head and replied, "Great Wizard Setoh, Merlin had just made this request to me. He's willing to try!"

"Blackfire Lord, Merlin is your disciple. What do you think?"

Wizard Setoh turned his gaze toward the Blackfire Lord to seek his opinion. He knew that Merlin occupied a very important position in the Blackfire Lord's heart.

The Blackfire Lord frowned slightly. Ever since he found out that Merlin had managed to develop the Mind Power system to a whole new level, and might probably perfect the Mind Power system, he held even higher regards toward Merlin.

In this civilization war, if it was not necessary, the Blackfire Lord even thought of using his influence to allow Merlin to escape the front lines.

However, since Merlin was the one who had suggested it, the Blackfire Lord felt it was not his position to stop him. So, he nodded. "Let's summon Merlin to ask him. If he's confident, then send him. We should avoid a civilization war as best as we can!"

"Very well. Legend Zado, inform Merlin to come here!"

Legend Zado nodded, and conveyed Arcane Wizard Setoh's message to Merlin via his Maxim Avatar.

"Buzz."

Merlin's ring vibrated again.

"Legend Zado, what's happening?"

Merlin asked anxiously.

"Wizard Setoh is summoning you, come quickly."

Legend Zado's Maxim Avatar said with a smile.

Merlin finally breathed a sigh of relief. As long as he could see Arcane Wizard Setoh, his success was half-guaranteed. Hence, he stood up, and flew toward the castle in the Void Zone.

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"Creak."

The castle gate slowly swung open, and a young Wizard walked in. Countless inquisitive gazes instantly landed on the young Wizard.

There were Great Legends, Honored Legends, and even Lords!

Their gazes quickly revealed a look of disbelief.

"He hasn't become a Great Wizard, and is only a Ninth-level Spell Caster!"

"The name Merlin was once renowned at the front line after a major battle. His Rainbow Squad encountered the Progenitor Squad's ambush. Just as the Rainbow Squad was about to be annihilated, Merlin rose to the occasion, and killed the entire Progenitor Squad alone!"

"The Rock Tribe's Progenitor Squad, upon forming the Progenitor's Body, is somewhat comparable to a Great Legend. How could it be defeated by Merlin alone, who's not even a Great Wizard?"

Many of the Great Legends were amazed. Although they had heard of Merlin before, as Great Legends, they were not overly concerned about those who were below the level of a Legend. At most, they would pay some passing attention.

Most of the Great Legends assumed that Merlin was a Great Wizard but now that they saw that he was only a Ninth-level Spell Caster, they were astounded. Most probably, even the civilization-level prodigies did not possess such formidable strengths when they were still Ninth-level Spell Casters.

The Blackfire Lord and Wizard Setoh, on the other hand, were very calm. They looked at Merlin with an even expression. Despite being subjected under so many Great Legends' scrutiny, Merlin appeared to be unruffled.

"Merlin, do you know how powerful those six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies are?"

Arcane Wizard Setoh asked calmly.

"I know."

"So how confident are you?"

"Fifty percent."

The atmosphere in the main foyer turned silent. Merlin indeed had fifty percent confidence. His Darkness Eye had been cultivated to its seventh form, so he had the power to harm a Great Legend. However, the most critical factor was not Darkness Eye but whether Merlin's Illusory World would be effective.

Titus once mentioned that once the Illusory World was mobilized, an ordinary Legend would not be able to resist it. Furthermore, if Merlin had achieved the Illusion Heart stage, then he would be able to wield the powers of the Illusory World. With that, even Honored Legends could be trapped in the illusion.

Merlin had mobilized the Illusory World before. It could indeed confuse an ordinary Legend. This was also Merlin's biggest confidence. On one hand, the Progenitor's Body formed by the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies was not an ordinary Progenitor's Body, and was also much stronger than an ordinary Legend.

On the other hand, the Progenitor's Body was formed by the six civilization-level prodigies. Merlin's Illusory World would be inflicted on the six civilization-level prodigies. Whether it was one or six persons, it did not make a difference to Merlin. The power of Hallucinating spells affected the "heart" or in other words, the Mind Power.

This was Merlin's biggest confidence!

"Merlin, that Progenitor's Body is like no other. Are you really sure?"

The question came from the Blackfire King, who was watching Merlin carefully.

"Teacher, I have decided! A civilization war cannot be started easily. Let me give it a try. If I succeed, we'll gain the upper hand, and pass the ball into the Rock Tribe's court. If they dare not launch the civilization war, they'll retreat. If I don't succeed, then it's still not too late for Wizard Setoh to launch a civilization war!"

Merlin's voice did not waver at all. He appeared exceedingly calm.

"Blackfire Lord, what do you think?"

Wizard Setoh asked softly.

The Blackfire Lord closed his eyes and nodded. "Merlin is right. Let him go. A fifty percent chance is worth a try!"

"Very well!"

Wizard Setoh stood up, and said to Merlin. "You should prepare for a few days. Regardless of success or failure, we cannot lose the Seely Dimension!"

Merlin's heart thumped. He knew that Wizard Setoh had made up his mind. If Merlin failed, a brutal civilization war would be inevitable.

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In the castle, all the Legends had left. They had been instructed to make preparations for a civilization war. Merlin only had one attempt. If he lost, Wizard Setoh would not allow the Rock Tribe to occupy the Seely Dimension continuously.

"Merlin!"

The Blackfire Lord was looking at Merlin with a complicated expression.

"Do you know how dangerous this is going to be?"

Merlin smiled at him. "Teacher, if a civilization erupts, do you think I'll be safe then? At that time, even the Great Legends will die, what more me?"

"That's not the same. This time, if you lose, it's inherently dangerous. However, even if you win, it'll also be extremely dangerous. The Rock Tribe's Progenitor Hanra might turn humiliation into fury, and attack you directly."

The Blackfire Lord could not help but remind Merlin.

"Arcane Wizard Setoh will make precautions for that, right? There's nothing for me to be afraid of."

Merlin's face displayed a grin. Although his tone was unperturbed, Merlin knew that the Blackfire Lord's words were not to be ignored. No matter how prepared Arcane Wizard Setoh was, just a moment's delay was enough for Progenitor Hanra to annihilate Merlin.

So, win or lose, Merlin was destined to be in danger.

"Very well, since you've decided and things have progressed to this stage, we can't change it anymore. In these few days, you should make preparations. If you really can't win, then retreat at once. Arcane Wizard Setoh will immediately allow the Great Legends to intervene and launch a civilization war!"

Merlin nodded. As he had guessed, Arcane Wizard Setoh was indeed prepared to launch a civilization war.

Subsequently, after the Blackfire Lord left, Merlin retrieved the illusion bead from his ring. A Mind Power Projection swiftly entered the illusion bead.

"Titus!"

Merlin's Mind Power vibrated in the Illusory World. He knew that Titus would be able to feel it.

"Wizard Merlin, you've decided to fight the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies?"

"Yes, and Arcane Wizard Setoh has agreed to it!"

Titus fell silent, a hint of helplessness on his face.

After a long time, he sighed and said, "The Illusory World is powerful but your Mind Power isn't strong enough, and can only hold it for a short time. Even if you're somehow able to confuse the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies, do you have a chance to defeat them?"

"I'll give it a try."

Titus did not know that Merlin had cultivated Darkness Eye. Nonetheless, even Merlin himself was not sure whether the seventh form of Darkness Eye was enough to defeat the Progenitor's Body formed by the six Rock Tribe civilization-level prodigies.

"If you can achieve the enlightenment on the Illusory Heart, then what are six civilization-level prodigies? Use this time and devote yourself to understand the Illusory Heart. I'll help you!"

Titus said with gritted teeth.

A smile appeared on Merlin's face. He nodded. "I was thinking that as well. If I can achieve the enlightenment of the Illusory Heart, then there's nothing I need to worry about."

Nevertheless, both Merlin and Titus knew that the chances of Merlin achieving the enlightenment on the Illusory Heart in such a short period were close to none. All they could do now was try.

Hence, with Titus' help, Merlin devoted all his energy into understanding the Illusory Heart.

Chapter 630: Merlin In Battle!

Seven days later, throngs of Spell Casters gathered outside the Seely Dimension once again. In particular, there were more than a hundred Great Legends, eighteen Honored Legends, and even four Great Lords.

On the other side of the Seely Dimension was a great number of members of the Rock Tribe. There were likewise countless Ancestor-level Rock Creatures. Both sides were silently waiting in this manner. The atmosphere was tense as if on the verge of eruption.

"Progenitor Hanra, these Spell Casters have really decided to start a civilization war?"

Behind Progenitor Hanra, one of the six civilization-level prodigies, Aroyo, questioned softly. They had been in this standoff for a few hours but there had been no further developments. The oppressive mood was dreadful.

Progenitor Hanra shook his head slightly. "We don't know what will happen. Even the mightiest beings are unable to predict the future because every moment of the future is constantly shifting… No matter if Setoh begins a civilization war, we mustn't let down our guard, so be prepared!"

As soon as he spoke, there was a commotion at the Spell Casters' side. A young figure slowly walked out from the crowd, and instantly flew into the Seely Dimension.

"It's not a Legend?"

"Progenitor Hanra, that Wizard seems to be Merlin who had vanquished the Progenitor Squad in the Seely Dimension!"

Some of the Rock Creatures had recognized that young figure.

"Merlin? Back then, the Progenitor Squad was sent to confront the Rainbow Squad. At first, they hoped to make a name for themselves in that battle and control the Seely Dimension but unexpectedly, they were defeated by an unknown young Wizard. So, it's him? Hehe, Setoh has run out of ideas. This might be his last resort but he's still doomed to lose. A young fellow who hasn't even reached civilization-level – can he turn things around? Aroyo, all six of you, go on. This might be the final fight. If this Merlin is killed, a civilization war is likely to erupt. For the sake of our tribe's survival and growth, we won't back down from even a ruthless civilization war!"

Progenitor Hanra's tone revealed an incomparable determination!

Therefore, Aroyo led the five other civilization-level prodigies of the Rock Tribe, and quickly flew into the Seely Dimension.

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"Someone has entered the Seely Dimension. Which civilization-level Wizard is that?"

"It doesn't seem to be a civilization-level Wizard. This one's named Merlin. Back then, he became famous due to a battle in the Seely Dimension. He wiped out the Progenitor Squad of the Rock Tribe in one move! Nonetheless, I've heard that Wizard Merlin is merely the mightiest existence below Legends. He hasn't even reached civilization-level. How come he dares to face the six civilization-level geniuses of the Rock Tribe alone?"

At this moment, Spell Casters who did not know about Merlin were inquiring about him. Soon enough, they knew some facts about Merlin but the one thing they had heard the most was how Merlin had defeated the Progenitor Squad.

However, although the Progenitor Squad was impressive, a civilization-level Wizard could easily defeat them too. It must be known that this time, Merlin was facing six civilization-level prodigies of the Rock Tribe.

"It looks like Wizard Merlin. He's actually going to take on the six civilization-level prodigies of the Rock Tribe by himself?"

Those in the Rainbow Squad were unmatched in their astonishment when they spotted Merlin at this moment. They had known Merlin for so long, and were familiar with him long ago.

Nevertheless, it was only now that the members of the Rainbow Squad realized, with a shock, that this figure was so foreign to them. They had never truly understood Merlin.

"Blackfire, do you think Merlin stands a chance?"

Wizard Setoh was also keeping an eye on this unequal match in the Seely Dimension.

"Chance? Perhaps. How many miracles have the Spell Caster civilization produced in three thousand years? Not even we would know… To grow from being weak in three thousand years to reach the formidable stage we're at today, is there any miracle that's impossible?"

A smile tugged at the corner of the Blackfire Lord's mouth.

"That's right, a miracle! Our Spell Caster civilization has never lost before. Even if it's a civilization war, we'll surely seize the final victory! Four Great Lords are all prepared. If Merlin loses, you'll act instantly. This time, we mustn't just attack. It must be our greatest attack. Besides me, who mustn't interfere, the four Great Lords and all of the Great Legends must attack and chase the Rock Tribe back to their old nest!"

The Arcane Wizard Setoh's voice rang clearly in the ears of every Great Legend. Everyone trembled inwardly as a tense atmosphere gradually spread…

"Swish."

Merlin flew into the Seely Dimension, and lightly shut his eyes. His Mind Power extended outward as he probed for the Elemental Origin of the Seely Dimension. It was just a shame that the Seely Dimension had been remodeled, and had no Elemental Origin left. According to the standards of Spell Casters, it had become a barren dimension.

The Rock Tribe was a strange civilization. Their remodeling of a dimension was equivalent to destruction. No matter the Giant Tribe or the Tree Tribe, all of them required dimensions with a Dimension Core. This included the Spell Casters, who were a living race as well. They all belonged to a civilization founded by living creatures.

Nevertheless, the Rock Tribe was different. They were icy cold Rock Creatures with no trace of life. Any dimension they had was icy cold, and incomparably desolate as well.

The Seely Dimension, for instance, was now completely transformed into an icy cold world. This dimension had lost its Elemental Origin, and could be considered a "dead" dimension.

However, such a dimension had immense benefits for the Rock Tribe.

"They're coming!"

Merlin's Mind Power quickly sensed that there were six figures approaching him. These figures were chilly as ice without a trace of a life force. It was easy to discern their identities as Rock Creatures.

Aroyo led the five other civilization-level prodigies forward but they were not underestimating Merlin at all. Instead, they appeared cautious, and immediately formed the Progenitor's Body while they were still a good distance away from Merlin.

"Boom."

The gigantic Progenitor's Body landed, and crashed heavily into the ground, causing the ground to quake.

"Hallucinate!"

Merlin's shapeless and soundless Mind Power quickly wrapped around the massive Progenitor's Body. The six civilization-level prodigies who made up the Progenitor's Body could feel a strange force influencing their thoughts.

"A Hallucinating spell? Progenitor Hanra had told us before that Merlin is a rather extraordinary Mind Power Master of the Spell Caster civilization, able to create various Hallucinating spells. Back then, the Progenitor Squad was defeated in one blow thanks to his Hallucinating spell. Nonetheless, his Hallucinating spell might be effective against the Progenitor Squad but it's still far from being a match for us!"

Aroyo instantly recalled Progenitor Hanra's warning, and knew that Merlin was wielding his Hallucinating spell. However, they were civilization-level prodigies comparable to Great Legends, and would not be affected by Merlin's third-stage Hallucinating spell.

Thus, the humongous Progenitor's Body raised one huge hand and dashed forward suddenly. The gigantic palm was just like a mountain that crashed down instantly.

Merlin did not dawdle and swiftly retreated but the descending speed of that giant palm was too fast. Merlin hesitated no longer, and four types of spell emerged around him.

Merlin gently mixed them, and the four spells promptly fused together. Moreover, they were incessantly condensed. Following that, Merlin waved his hand, and countless balls of this spell fusion immediately flew toward the Progenitor's Body's giant palm.

"Bang bang bang."

Faced with this spell fusion, the massive Progenitor's Body did not dodge at all, and instead brandished its hand to meet the spells head-on. It vigorously smashed the balls of spell fusion.

Although the spells created a fiery explosion each time they dispersed, their influence against the Progenitor's Body's defense was very limited. Conversely, Merlin's Magic Power was greatly consumed. He could not afford to sustain such a high-level battle.

Within this first exchange of blows, Merlin already felt immense pressure. An invisible force seemed to press on from all sides. His Hallucinating spell could not affect his opponent, and his spell fusion was ineffective too. Naturally, Merlin was at a disadvantage.

Merlin's position was even more precarious now, and no one was able to have much hope in him.

"It looks like he won't pull this off… Blackfire Lord, Arctic Lord, Sorrow Lord, Nightmare Lord, all four of you Great Lords, get ready."

The Arcane Wizard Setoh's voice sounded in the ears of the four Great Lords. Instantly, the Legendary teams commanded by each of the four Great Lords inched forward silently. Their target was not just the Seely Dimension but to also breach the dimensions behind the Rock

Tribe in one swift move. In this manner, they would firmly suppress the Rock Tribe in the Rock Creatures' own dimensions, then chase them back to their old nest.

"Darkness Eye!"

A sharp voice suddenly pierced through the Seely Dimension. Soon, behind Merlin, who had been losing ground, and was in imminent danger, a gigantic crimson eye appeared.

"The seventh form Darkness Eye?"

All the Great Legends who were present recognized Darkness Eye of the Legend of Darkness. This time, although the Legend of Darkness had not come to the front lines, many Great Legends had the utmost familiarity with his Darkness Eye.

"This is Merlin's trump card?"

A helpless expression crossed the Arcane Wizard Setoh's face as he shook his head. He no longer had any hope in Merlin. If one could rely upon the seventh form of Darkness Eye to defeat the civilization-level prodigies, then he would have asked the Legend of Darkness to send his troop of puppets long ago.

"Hold on, it doesn't seem to be just that. The Progenitor's Body has stopped in its tracks?"

The Blackfire Lord raised a hand, and the other Great Lords halted immediately. Even the Arcane Wizard Setoh looked toward the Seely Dimension once again.

Presently, the formidable Progenitor's Body was now just like a statue, without even the slightest twitch. This was clearly juxtaposed against the giant blood-red eye that was becoming clearer behind Merlin.

"Haha, Merlin, you've done it! The Illusory World has caught the six civilization-level prodigies in the illusion. Hurry, now's the best chance to defeat the Progenitor's Body!"

Within the illusion bead, Titus could not help but yell in excitement.

"Silencing Ray!"

Merlin's gaze was icy cold, having formed the seventh form of Darkness Eye long before. The terrifying giant crimson eye that had materialized behind Merlin fired a heavy beam of blood-red light, which followed Merlin's finger. Space in the Seely Dimension was annihilated.

"Boom."

In the blink of an eye, Silencing Ray had crashed into the Progenitor's Body that was caught in the illusion and thus, was totally defenseless. Instantly, the huge sweep of crimson light exploded, submerging the gigantic frame of the Progenitor's Body…