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The very center of the battlefield was a most unique terrain. Only here, in the vast expanse of the battlefield, did such terrain exist.

There were no peaks, no lakes or rivers, no deserts or lava flows. Instead, there were continuous buildings and streets.

This place was a completely lifelike simulation of a modern urban scene. Concrete houses had been rapidly constructed by Earth-type Pet Beasts, and asphalt streets laid out. If it weren't utterly deserted, making the 'small town' feel empty, one might actually mistake it for a real human city at first glance.

Although this small town was a little too small, it was clearly the battlefield—still unmistakably its center, and the location for the final battle.

Within this vast battlefield, the ones closest to this very center were the currently top-ranked Black Tiger Group and the Snow Wolf Group, struggling to maintain fifth place.

So...

"I have to say, the logistics team really put a lot of thought into this battlefield design."

"Indeed. Look at the building quality—they even have damn plaques?"

The four members of the Snow Wolf Group marveled at the completely lifelike urban battlefield, like Granny Liu entering the Grand View Gardens.

Meanwhile, on the other side of the city streets, members of the Black Tiger Group also commented, "As a battlefield, it feels a bit of a pity to destroy this place, doesn't it?"

The leader of the Black Tiger Group chuckled, "Well, you don't need to worry about that. I estimate that no other groups will come here for a short time, so this place shouldn't serve as a battlefield..."

He was brimming with confidence, believing all other groups had already left to search the outskirts for the Forest Wolf Troop.

That was until he turned his head and encountered the four members of the Snow Wolf Group at the next street corner, less than a hundred meters away.

All seven people stared at each other for a full two seconds. The atmosphere suddenly grew silent and somewhat awkward.

The three from the Black Tiger Group glanced at the Cold Water Wolf beside the four Snow Wolf Group members. The four from the Snow Wolf Group, in turn, noted the Netherworld Demon Tiger next to the three Black Tiger Group members.

They all pursed their lips. Then, without a single unnecessary word, darkness enveloped the entire street.

The next moment, a cold fog, thick with terrifying toxins and chilling air, spread out!

"Damn it! Weren't you Black Tiger Group guys searching for the Forest Wolf Troop to the southeast? How did you end up here?" Snow Wolf Group's Leader Ling cursed angrily. "You're despicable! So you were trying to rush us into a suicidal mission while you waited here to reap the rewards like a fisherman?"

"Pah! You have the nerve to blame me? Weren't you quick to respond too? Cut the crap and die!" Mo He was also furious.

I just finished boasting to my team, and this bunch pops out of nowhere! Aren't they deliberately trying to annoy me, Commander Mo He!?

However, just as the battle was about to erupt, Mo He keenly sensed that something was amiss. Unfortunately, in this situation, it was impossible to pause and reconsider.

The corrosive cold fog and spreading shadows instantly reduced the newly constructed city to ruins. The solid concrete and the buildings sculpted by Earth-type Pet Beasts proved incredibly fragile under the bombardment of Commander Level Pet Beasts!

Sure enough!

Black lines formed on the foreheads of everyone watching the live broadcast. This was really awkward, wasn't it?

The Chief of the Tiger C Division and Lin Lei of the War Wolf Division especially felt helpless. Through their god's-eye view, they could clearly see that it wasn't just their own ace teams; at that moment, quite a few others were also hurrying toward this location.

But undeniably, in such a chaotic battle, the one to make the first move would inevitably become the victim of latecomers waiting to pounce.

The Snow Wolf Group's Cold Water Wolf was one thing, but the Netherworld Demon Tiger was currently ranked number one! It represented the pride and the strongest fighting force of the Tiger Division this time! If they were to meet a grim end under these circumstances, forget number one; even securing a spot in the top three would be uncertain.

However, just then, the Tiger Division Chief's expression turned even uglier, while Lin Lei's eyes lit up slightly.

Because at that moment, several figures approached rapidly from afar—the third team to arrive on the battlefield!

The classic scenario of a three-way confrontation, while perhaps manifesting differently in Blue Star's Beastmaster Society, was essentially unfolding.

Indeed, just then, on the other side of the street, a third party suddenly appeared.

More importantly, this third party was the very target they were all hunting:

The Forest Wolf Troop!

The two sides, moments ago fiercely at odds, halted abruptly. They unanimously turned their gaze toward the arriving Forest Wolf Troop.

Li Da, seeing the situation unfold, understood it perfectly and couldn't help but give a wry smile.

You cunning dogs, truly treacherous!

At the same time, he also felt somewhat helpless.

What rotten luck. Our fight had just begun and hadn't made much noise. Moreover, we never expected anyone else besides our Forest Wolf Troop to be in the battlefield's center—and two teams at that!

But now that they'd been seen, there was no need to continue hiding.

So, Li Da smiled faintly, putting on an excited expression, and said, "Leader Ling, we're both comrades from the War Wolf Division! Never mind other things for now. Let's first eliminate this bunch from the Tiger Division, and then we can have a fair showdown. What do you say?"

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The captain of the Snow Wolf Group's eyes flickered, casting an ill-intentioned glance towards Mo He and the three Netherworld Demon Tigers.

Then, without a second thought, Mo He smacked one of the Netherworld Demon Tigers on the head and turned tail to run.

"ROAR!"

The sound of the tiger's roar echoed instantly in the very center of the battlefield.

Li Da and Captain Ling's complexions changed almost simultaneously.

But their reactions were starkly different!

Captain Ling signaled the rest of the Snow Wolf Group members with his eyes and also turned to flee.

Li Da, along with Da Zhuang and the other four Wanmu Wolves at his side, instantly activated their Skills!

The next moment, trees grew rapidly from the buildings and houses surrounding the street they were on, spreading out like tentacles.

This tiger's roar was too shocking.

The entire small city, as well as its vicinity, could hear it crystal clear.

Originally, all the teams had almost converged on this central battlefield. Despite varying distances, they were all racing at full speed where every second counted, so none were far from the small city.

This tiger's roar made it clear to everyone that within this small city, they weren't the only ones who thought this way!

Rather, everyone had the same idea, and more importantly, the final battle had already begun!

At this moment, after a brief hesitation, everyone again issued their orders!

Advance into the city!

Since they had already come, continuing to keep their heads down and run would only earn them those few points. If they could fish in troubled waters and snatch a few kills, it would be far better than anything.

As everyone entered the city, they were stunned by the scene unfolding before them.

Forests!

The area was densely packed with towering trees that seemed to cover everything!

The very center of what used to be a small city had been transformed into a forest in this short period of time!

Was this the ability of the Forest Wolf Troop?

At this moment, everyone felt both relieved and dumbfounded.

They felt relieved, truly glad they hadn't used their depleted forces to search for the Forest Wolf Troop earlier, and even more so that they hadn't run into them before this moment.

Even Mo He, leader of the Black Tiger Group, who had sidestepped the forming coalition between the Snow Wolf Group and Forest Wolf Troop, couldn't help but take a sharp breath at the sight of the approaching forest deluge.

"This is just too absurd, right?"

"Indeed, absurd!"

A voice rang out not far away, and Mo He jerked, hurriedly looking in that direction.

Sure enough, atop a nearby building, another figure appeared.

The captain of the Shadow Leopard Group!

"Old Deng, how about we make a deal? Let's deal with the Forest Wolf Troop first. How about it? You've seen the ability of the Forest Wolf Troop! You wouldn't want to hand over first place so easily, would you? After dealing with the Forest Wolf Troop, we can fight it out fair and square!"

The four members of the Shadow Leopard Group cast a glance their way and, after pondering for a bit, nodded in agreement.

This wasn't an isolated case; it was a widespread consensus.

None of the warband members could have anticipated that their previous hunts for the Forest Wolf Troop, each driven by their own agenda, would actually lead to a consensus upon their arrival at the battlefield's center and in the face of this surging forest flood!

Except for the Snow Wolf Group, which elected not to join forces due to being from the same division as the Forest Wolf Troop, every other team that entered the center of the battlefield now had the same preliminary goal.

Eliminate the Forest Wolf Troop first.

Meanwhile, the Snow Wolf Group members in the forest were rather bewildered.

"Captain, what do we do now?"

The sudden turn of events left Captain Ling somewhat unprepared.

They truly had wanted to cooperate with the other teams to eliminate the Forest Wolf Troop, which occupied the strongest position at the center.

But damn it, apart from the others not trusting them, he was also afraid of being beaten by the group leader and Chief Lin if he went out.

This was a conflict between groups, true. But the honor belonged to the division! Helping outsiders attack one's own people was nothing but outright suicide.

So, Captain Ling exhaled, "Damn it, these sons of bitches are pushing it too far! With so many people targeting the Forest Wolf Troop, since no one trusts us, then let's back up our brothers! But remember, don't get too stubborn about it! Let the Forest Wolf Troop take the initiative!"

"Yes, sir!"

At this moment, the entire battlefield was on the brink of chaotic combat.

Outside the arena, Chief Lin was the first to lose his composure, "Old Luo, can your Tiger Division even play fairly? Starting to use alliances and strategies in a martial competition?"

"To hell with you, who said we can't? The principle of Legion combat is to unite all who can be united! Who asked your War Wolf Division to be the ones sticking their necks out?"

The quarrel between the two division chiefs wasn't of much concern to others.

At this moment, everyone's eyes were firmly glued to the live broadcast on the screen.

Even Su Ping found it tough; despite having the Solar Script, standing out in such a situation proved to be extremely difficult.

But, under these circumstances, eliminating the Wanmu Wolves was definitely not going to be an easy feat.

Su Ping expected that in this woven forest, facing Wanmu Wolves that had quickly gained an absolute geographical advantage, several Pet Beast enemies of the same Level would struggle to threaten even one.

So dishonorable! Utterly dishonorable.

At this moment, this was the only thought in the minds of the entire Forest Wolf Troop at the heart of the battlefield.

However, Li Da, as the captain and commander, had already made his deployments in the first instance!

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"Go to the highest point of the forest with your Wanmu Wolves," Su Ping commanded. "Absorb as much sunlight as possible, ensure your safety as Beast Tamers, conserve your energy and stamina, and stop creating forest torrents! When you face the enemy, you must eliminate them with utmost speed, focusing primarily on their Beast Tamers!"

"Also, don't stick together. For now, take positions on the roofs of the four high-rise buildings at the southeast, southwest, northeast, and northwest corners. You will traverse through the air. I will stay here, connecting the spreading trees from this very spot!"

"Yes, sir!"

Following these commands, the members of the Forest Wolf Troop on the rooftops leaped down without a second thought.

Almost at the instant they jumped, wooden structures materialized, transforming into bridges of wood that arched through the sky.

Once again, with incredible proficiency, they wove the sky above the small town into a green web!

This is terrifying!

Almost all the teams couldn't help but raise their heads to look at the spreading branches in the sky. These branches connected with the ten-story buildings of the town, forming a Tree Prison that trapped them inside!

This is the real Tree Prison! No, this is the true Advent of the Tree Realm! The Tree Realm Prison!

Excitement beyond belief shone in Su Ping's eyes!

Though the town was indeed very small—it was questionable if it even spanned three kilometers from end to end. After all, only about twenty buildings stood there. It could hardly be called a town; if anything, it was merely a residential complex.

But one had to remember, these were only five Wanmu Wolves for now!

What if in the future... if I cultivated a few dozen Wanmu Wolves to serve as 'battlefield controllers,' supplemented by main attackers and a logistics team responsible for healing? If a complete iron triangle were formed, could this legion perhaps disregard the threat of Beast Tides numbering in the hundreds or thousands?

It seemed this was indeed the case!

With little concern for energy consumption, once the Tree Realm Prison enveloped the sky, every piece of wood fell under the Wanmu Wolves' control. They didn't need to attack other troublesome Pet Beasts. Instead, they utilized their near-limitless agility within this jungle. Able to traverse the woods at will, even move along the tops of trees to achieve an effect akin to 'flying,' their assaults on the Beast Tamers were impossible to defend against!

Thus, as the chaotic battle commenced, messages began to flood the leaderboard!

[Forest Wolf Troop's Sun Xiao has eliminated 'Zhang Bing' of the White Tiger Group, gaining +1 Point...]

[Forest Wolf Troop's Gao Hang has eliminated 'Li Tie' of the Iron Arm Ape Group, gaining +1 Point...]

[...]

At a speed no one could have imagined.

In this vast jungle, it seemed they were the ones being hunted.

The Forest Wolf Troop, which had previously fallen to third place, surged back to the top in just one short hour!

What were they to do!? At this moment, everyone felt paralyzed.

However, soon, a crucial piece of news acted like a shot in the arm for everyone who had started to lose hope.

"Captain, look! The Forest Wolf Troop has suffered casualties!"

That's right. After an hour of such chaotic fighting, the Forest Wolf Troop was not truly invincible after all.

Casualties had finally appeared.

It was Xiao Can, one of the five. His Wanmu Wolf was only a Commander Sixth Order.

But that wasn't the true reason!

"Fire Type Pet Beasts, the natural nemesis of the Wanmu Wolves, have arrived!"

Everyone who had witnessed the recent events was discussing it animatedly.

Indeed, Xiao Can's elimination was at the hands of the flame gorilla currently standing atop a building.

This year's grand competition was undoubtedly the worst for the Ape Masters. Trouble seemed inevitable for them once they returned.

However, perhaps due to the Forest Wolf Troop's luck, almost all the Fire Type Pet Beasts from the various divisions had been nearly wiped out.

Even the Ashen Wolf Lord of the War Wolf Division was no exception.

Hence, no Fire Type Pet Beasts had appeared until now.

Who would have thought that the Ape Troop would have a lone survivor!

This single remaining flame gorilla became the hope for breaking the deadlock!

The elimination of a single Wanmu Wolf instantly created a gap in the Tree Realm Prison that had enveloped the small town.

"Protect that flame gorilla!" someone roared, and then they all rallied together.

At this moment, they seemed to have truly disregarded their own scores!

Their sole objective was to eliminate the Forest Wolf Troop!

Otherwise, even if they achieved other decent rankings and points in this competition, their honor would be utterly lost!

The Forest Wolf Troop must be eliminated!

And at this crucial juncture, the arriving flame gorilla became the key to turning the tables.

The wood, now charred by flames, prevented the Wanmu Wolves from drawing power from it to sustain themselves.

Moreover, the interconnected trees, usually their strength, now became a deadly weakness under the blaze, helping the fire spread rapidly!

Flame Gorilla!

Li Da's eyes were bloodshot; they had already accumulated a significant number of points.

After brawling for nearly the entire morning, everyone was practically consumed by battle frenzy.

But their stamina and Energy had been severely depleted.

However, while they were expending stamina and Energy, their enemies were losing their lives!

In just that morning, both the Black Tiger Group and the Shadow Leopard Group had each suffered one or two casualties.

And all the Titan Pythons of the Great Serpent Master had been completely eliminated!

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So, if they wanted to win, they had to kill that Flame Gorilla.

Unfortunately, during the morning's fierce battle, three of the Cold Water Wolves from the Snow Wolf Group—a natural counter to the Flame Gorilla—had been eliminated, leaving only one shivering in fear.

They had to kill that Flame Gorilla!

Li Da knew that if they didn't kill the Flame Gorilla, which was rampaging through the Tree Realm Prison under everyone's protection, his side would definitely be annihilated!

He knew he had to make a move now.

Because in just a short time, the Forest Wolf Troop, originally of five, was now down to just him and Sun Xiao.

These bastards surrounding the Flame Gorilla made it impossible for them to break out and assassinate it.

But waiting here would only lead to death in the end.

Sun Xiao and Li Da stood together and, in just a moment, confirmed their tactics.

Thus, Li Da made his move. It was the first time he used his Talented Ability: a very simple gift called Mirror Heaven Reflection.

It was an abstract ability that could change his own appearance or that of a Beast Tamer.

It seemed simple and apparently useless for Pet Beast cultivation, but it could play a critical role at crucial moments. For example, right now...

...in the instant the ability activated, Da Zhuang, who was in front of them, slowly shifted from his Wanmu Wolf form, transforming into Li Da's appearance. Meanwhile, Li Da himself slowly turned into a Wanmu Wolf, completely inverting the roles between master and servant.

And in the next moment, Sun Xiao, controlling Er Zhuang, gave chase, shouting, "You curs! Have you no shame?"

The intensity of the battle reached an unimaginable fever pitch. Now, with the tactical triumph and stroke of genius against the Flame Gorilla, Mo He, the captain of the Black Tiger Group, couldn't help but smirk.

"This time, I admit the Forest Wolf Troop has won," Mo He said, "but if you think you can make us lose this embarrassingly, you're mistaken!"

With that thought, Mo He narrowed his eyes. "Go, someone tie this guy up! Old Lu, keep controlling the Flame Gorilla to sweep through this area. This brat is just trying to lure the tiger away from the mountain. Don't be fooled by him."

The others nodded. Old Deng, the aloof commander from the Shadow Leopard Group, immediately went forward. His Soul-Eating Leopard's psychic influence instantly activated, causing the swiftly fleeing Er Zhuang to stagger. The psychic attack nearly made it fall from the tree.

The horror of the Psychic Element lay in its silent, imperceptible activation, making it impossible to guard against. However, forming a Psychic Ability was extremely difficult, and its attack power was relatively low.

As long as they didn't catch the Beast Tamer, such an attack was nothing to Er Zhuang.

Then, in the next moment, on the frontline, another Wanmu Wolf suddenly appeared in the forest woven by Li Da.

"Hahaha, Old Li, it seems you're nearby, ready to assault the Flame Gorilla? Don't waste your energy!"

With both Wanmu Wolves in play, Mo He finally stopped hesitating. This meant that the Forest Wolf Troop had reached the end of their rope.

Although their own losses were greater—greater beyond imagination—just being able to eliminate the Forest Wolf Troop was enough. Otherwise, it would be too shameful!

"Still want to run? Chase them!" Mo He ordered. "Additionally, Old He, you take Old Lu and the Flame Gorilla to sweep through these woods and flush out Old Li, who's unwilling to emerge from within."

"The rest of you, chase! Contain this Forest Wolf. Once we've dealt with this one, the remaining one will be easy to handle!"

Mo He took the lead, riding atop his Netherworld Demon Tiger. With a leap over the treetops, he headed straight for the Wanmu Wolf not far away.

The Wanmu Wolf was still running ahead, but Mo He, closely followed by another Beast Tamer from the Shadow Leopard Group, was rapidly closing in on the swiftly fleeing creature.

At that moment, an ominous premonition suddenly struck Mo He.

He looked at this Forest Wolf Evolver and felt something was off. What was strange about it?

Mo He quickly figured it out: the opponent was too slow. Was it deliberately waiting for them, or was there another reason? Could there be a trap?!

Mo He slowed his pace, warily scouring the surroundings. The Flame Gorilla's fire had spread along the branches, adding a brilliant streak of flame to the battlefield, which was shrouded in dark clouds!

Li Da helplessly looked up at the sky. At this moment, he damn well wanted to inexplicably cry out, "Oh, vast heavens, why treat me so unjustly?"

If there were still sunlight in this final opportunity, and if they could eliminate the Flame Gorilla, the Forest Wolf Troop would still have a chance to turn the tables. But now, that chance was slim.

However... A resolute light flashed in Li Da's eyes. Regardless of the situation, his priority was to eliminate that annoying Flame Gorilla.

AWOO~

A piercing howl sounded from not far away. Li Da's mouth curled into a smile, while Mo He turned his head in disbelief, looking towards a distant place.

That was where Old Lu, the Flame Gorilla, and another Netherworld Demon Tiger were searching for Li Da! How could this be?

The first Forest Wolf was restrained by Old Deng's Soul-Eating Leopard, and the second Forest Wolf was right in front of them. Could it be that Old Ling, the remaining member of the Snow Wolf Group, had made a comeback?!

But in the next moment, he knew the answer. The Forest Wolf before him slowly revealed its illusory form. Under the Netherworld Demon Tiger's clutches, the life indicator on his wristwatch burst into light.

[Forest Wolf Troop member Li Da, you have been eliminated. Current Forest Wolf Troop points: 101. Please immediately restrain your Pet Beast and either wait on-site or evacuate the battlefield!]

Eliminated!

In just a morning's chaotic battle, the Forest Wolf Troop was left with only Sun Xiao and Er Zhuang, a Wanmu Wolf, still struggling to hold on.

But Li Da was content. Through the Soul Contract, he could clearly sense that his Da Zhuang had not only taken out the Flame Gorilla's Beast Tamer but had also eliminated the Beast Tamer of the last remaining Netherworld Demon Tiger, apart from Mo He.

This transformed ambush had resulted in an unimaginable victory!

"The rest is up to you now, Old Sun!"

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TSK.

Su Ping shook his head involuntarily as he watched the tragic scenes unfolding on the screen. He knew that this was probably the end of the line for the Forest Wolf Troop's final battle.

With Li Da eliminated, even though Sun Xiao and Er Zhuang were still left, several other opponents remained. And these guys, they were all seeing red. They had to eliminate the entire Forest Wolf Troop.

Even without the Flame Gorilla, Su Ping knew that under the current circumstances, Er Zhuang and Sun Xiao wouldn't last much longer. The reason was simple. Beyond the physical and mental burden from continuously using the Sunlight Absorption Formula, the most crucial factor was the current situation: dark clouds now obscured the sun.

If the sun were still out, with boundless sunlight available, they might still have a chance. But now, that was clearly gone.

With Er Zhuang's three Sunlight Absorption Formula skills—Sunlight Absorption, Photosynthesis, and Heart of Woods—all reaching Master Level, the burden he bore was indeed somewhat less than that of the other Wanmu Wolves. But without direct sunlight, it was useless! Even the most skilled artisan can't work without materials!

Thus, the Flame Gorilla was just the last straw that broke the camel's back. But that was enough.

Around him, after witnessing the chaotic battle that morning, everyone looked at Su Ping with pure amazement.

Even in this situation, it was clear the Wanmu Wolf had weaknesses. Its vulnerability to fire was particularly obvious, and it lacked direct, high-damage offensive skills, focusing more on crowd control and versatile development. But what other Commander Level Pet Beast, focused on raw power, could achieve such results? Clearly, none! And because there were none, was it reasonable to demand that the Wanmu Wolf also possess even greater offensive power under these circumstances? That was clearly asking too much.

Even Vice President Liu, who was beside him, let out a long breath and said, "You really gave me a big surprise, kid!"

Indeed, it was a big surprise! A Wanmu Wolf like this, if it participated in the Breeder Contest... it might not be guaranteed to take first place, but it would definitely have a very high chance. Although this wasn't a low-level evolution that could be easily popularized due to certain breeding costs, compared to those costs, the Wanmu Wolf's potential was well worth it.

After a pause, Old Liu continued confidently, "When we get back to the association, I'll keep my promise and personally apply for your Senior Breeder certificate for specializing in Forest Wolf!"

Old Liu had never, ever imagined this. He never imagined his earlier prediction would come true so quickly.

Su Ping smiled slightly. He wasn't particularly concerned about these matters but was, instead, quite curious about the Breeder Contest. "There's no rush for that, President Liu," he asked. "When exactly is this year's Breeder Association conference held?"

Liu Fuhai replied without even thinking, "You haven't paid any attention to it before, have you? It's held every year after New Year's Day and before Chinese New Year's Eve. Usually, it's all over in one day. After all, the Dragon Nation has over twenty provinces. If each province takes about ten minutes or so to present their achievements, that's sufficient. There's no need to fully disclose the findings, just to demonstrate the experimental process, breeding insights, and the final product!"

Su Ping blinked. "I see. I thought the results and breeding methods had to be completely shared with all viewers to qualify!"

Vice President Liu chuckled. "You wouldn't believe it, but the original Breeder Contests indeed aimed for that. However, in doing so, breeders would hoard their secrets, and not many wanted to share publicly! Think about it, who would be willing to give away their hard-researched methods to other breeders for free? Moreover, it was later discovered that this approach wasn't ideal. It could lead to price crashes for items and Pet Beasts, not to mention potentially causing localized unrest. Ultimately, the drawbacks outweighed the benefits.

Our Dragon Nation does have a patent fee system. However, it's still difficult to manage such situations perfectly with that alone, so the requirements for sharing aren't too strict here. As I mentioned, you can choose to submit your breeding method to the association. In return, the association will give you a large number of academic credits all at once! You might even receive rarer, more valuable designated resources. Additionally, any Breeder who obtains your breeding method through the association will pay you a significant share of their academic credits as a patent fee! Furthermore, breeding methods obtained from the association are strictly prohibited from being shared further; this is mandated by law. Of course, even with laws and the requirement to sign Soul Contracts, truly enforcing strict prohibition can sometimes be difficult."

Vice President Liu clarified the pros and cons. Su Ping nodded. He was already aware of these subsequent details. But Vice President Liu was right. Human nature is inherently selfish; no one is willing to share their researched breeding methods for nothing. That's why powerful Beast Tamers in the Secret Realms would choose to pass on their breeding methods as a legacy before their death. This was true in ancient times, and it hasn't changed much in the modern era either.

Vice President Liu glanced at Su Ping. Just as with the Heart of Woods, he didn't insist on anything from him, and said with a smile,

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"So, all you have to do is show the Evolutionary Body of the Wanmu Wolf, and that's it. You don't need to overthink it."

Su Ping nodded. "A day's time is easy to spare, but I need to visit the Magic Capital. I don't want it to delay my trip."

"The Magic Capital?"

Vice President Liu was slightly startled, then asked eagerly, "Is it Xiao Xue from the Qin Family who's asking you to go?"

Su Ping nodded.

He had told Qin Xiaoxue about Woodhead's Evolution before. When it evolved into the Crown Wolf Emperor, he was to witness it with his own eyes.

Getting the confirmation, Vice President Liu then squinted and smiled slightly. "Then you don't need to worry. This year's Breeder Conference will be held in the Magic Capital..."

"Ah?"

Su Ping was engaged in a lively chat with Vice President Liu, while on the battlefield, the situation was still just as heated. Unfortunately, it wasn't as relaxed as it was for them.

Sun Xiao had already sustained a few minor injuries. They weren't from attacks, but purely from cuts by branches and leaves as he jumped quickly through the forest. However, now was not the time to worry about these minor wounds.

Sun Xiao looked helplessly at Er Zhuang panting heavily beside him, and at those damn sons of turtles that had trapped him in a corner with no escape.

"You bunch of bastards, winning without honor!"

"Commander Sun, the adult world only looks at outcomes, not processes."

Mo He's expression was indifferent, but his heart was bleeding.

Damn it! The Forest Wolf Troop's Sun Xiao is now a lone commander. Where exactly has his Black Tiger Group's strength gone? And now, he too is the only surviving captain of the Black Tiger Group.

The chaos of the morning's battles, chasing the Forest Wolf Troop within these tree prison confines, had indeed killed four of their men, but the losses suffered by the other teams were many times greater.

Without a doubt, the Forest Wolf Troop has become the brightest star in this competition. Even if they aren't first, they are certainly the most noticed and praised, because their defeat was not shameful.

Besides, with the current situation, the likelihood of the Forest Wolf Troop not taking first place is slim, unless they play dirty and don't continue fighting, choosing to just chat until the poison circle closes in and they earn a huge load of survival Points. Only in that case would it be possible to completely overtake the Forest Wolf Troop, which is already far ahead from the morning.

But is that possible? Wouldn't it be shameful? At this point, aside from the Forest Wolf Troop winning first place, no other team has the gall to claim it.

However, thankfully, no matter what, they've finally cornered the Forest Wolf Troop. Otherwise, apart from the Battle Wolf A Division, the other divisions would really have no face left.

Thinking of this, Mo He's eyes turned stern, and he didn't hesitate anymore. "Brothers, get ready!"

Although he wasn't everyone's captain, Mo He had indeed been the one leading the hunt to annihilate the Forest Wolf Troop.

Now is not the time to hesitate. In a corner like this, where the Forest Wolf Troop has no escape, we'll attack together. We just need to eliminate this damned Forest Wolf that has thoroughly disrupted the Legion Grand Tournament, and that will be it!

Sun Xiao looked helplessly at the pouncing Netherworld Demon Tiger, Soul-eating Leopard, Demonic Shadow Leopard, Biyun Baboon, and Cloud-Patterned Tree Python, feeling somewhat resigned.

Among them, the Biyun Baboon and Cloud-Patterned Tree Python are both Wood Element Pet Beasts. It's quite apparent that in this kind of jungle, besides their strong Racial Potential, Wood Element Pet Beasts have relatively stronger self-preservation abilities.

Damn it, no martial ethics! Er Zhuang barely has any Energy left to continue the upcoming battle. And these damn sons of turtles are attacking together!

Sun Xiao's eyes darted. "Commander Deng, among those who are left, after my Forest Wolf Troop is out, it will be your Shadow Leopard Group with only two combatants left. I'm afraid after they eliminate me, it will be your turn to suffer! How about we join forces, eliminate them first, and then I'll willingly concede the championship to you? What do you say?"

As soon as these words were spoken, everyone's gaze immediately turned to Commander Deng, but the latter simply said, "No need. Among us who are left, there's no winner. Eliminating the Forest Wolf Troop first is the best outcome."

"HUMPH! Still trying to sow discord? Go to hell!"

"ROAR!"

The Netherworld Demon Tiger roared and pounced straight towards Sun Xiao. Resigned, Sun Xiao took out his life signs watch.

However, just as he was about to trigger the life signs watch, a piercing howl came from the side!

"AWOOO!"

The Wolf Howl made Sun Xiao pause. He looked towards his own Pet Beast.

Clearly, the Wolf Tribe is the most arrogant Pet Beast Race. Such Wolf Tribe Pet Beasts would not accept conceding without a final, desperate battle.

So, sensing its master's gaze and the approaching ferocious tiger, Er Zhuang still moved!

Even without the Sun to activate the Solar Formula for Rapid Recovery of its strength, Er Zhuang's body was not completely drained. It still possessed a Wood body, the sharpest of claws and fangs, and...

At that moment, a light shone forth. The pouncing Netherworld Demon Tiger and Biyun Baboon both experienced a blinding flash, as if a powerful light threatened to sear their eyes.

Subsequently, it was a different story for the Netherworld Demon Tiger. The power of its Dark Element was clearly demonstrated, as the Blinding Technique had an extremely minimal effect on it.

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However, the Biyun Baboon was clearly hit hard. A bright light flashed before it, blinding it completely. Erzhuang, ignoring the other Pet Beasts, charged straight forward, its sharp claws landing directly on the Biyun Baboon's body.

Its claws pierced several bloody holes. Then, with a final surge of Energy, entwining branches formed Wood Spikes and thorny vines, shooting straight for the Biyun Baboon's Beast Tamer!

[Tree Ape Troop member: Cheng Yuan, you have been eliminated. Current Tree Ape Troop Points: 72. Please immediately restrain your Pet Beast and wait on site or withdraw from the battlefield!]

At this final moment, another Beast Tamer was eliminated?

With the Tree Ape Troop's leader's face turning even darker, everyone else's expression became priceless.

"Damn it, how many more tricks does this Forest Wolf's Evolutionary Body have up its sleeve? Another Skill has popped up; what is this Skill now?"

"Blinding? Creating a bright light to blind the enemy to some extent."

"What? Isn't this Skill unique to special Attribute Light Series Pet Beasts? How come Nature Type ones have it?"

"Who knows? If someone had told you before that the Forest Wolf Troop could win the championship in the tournament, would you have believed it?"

"True, damn, that Breeder kid is a freak."

"Luckily, it's finally over."

Even if they could ultimately eliminate that Biyun Baboon, the final outcome would still remain unchanged. And that was indeed the case.

Sun Xiao managed to evade the Pet Beasts' attack trajectories with several quick dodges. However, it was obvious that Erzhuang, having fought strenuously to protect its master, was now covered in wounds.

Even on its chest, there were wounds deep enough to expose bone.

It was over! Even Sun Xiao thought so.

Because not only was Erzhuang exhausted, but he, too, had no strength left to dodge. Although a Beast Tamer's physical strength was much greater than that of an ordinary person, they did not rely on this for their livelihood. Not to mention Erzhuang's current state.

However, this time Sun Xiao did not attempt to activate his Life-Signs Watch preemptively.

If Erzhuang wished to die standing, then so be it; let the opponent's attack decide!

And so, Sun Xiao went directly to the side of Erzhuang, who was panting heavily. He gently rubbed its eyelids, which were so heavy they seemed to fight to stay open, as Erzhuang continuously let out whimpering sounds.

Then, facing the surging dark tide from the Netherworld Demon Tiger, Sun Xiao closed his eyes.

However, after waiting a full three seconds, the voice from the Life-Signs Watch announcing elimination, which Sun Xiao had been expecting, never came.

He opened his eyes in astonishment, only to freeze slightly in surprise.

Erzhuang's body was standing in front of him.

Obviously, such a competition would not involve life and death; his own Pet Beast understood this clearly. So, the kind of touching scene often witnessed on real battlefields—a pet beast senselessly blocking a fatal blow for its master—would never occur in a competition like this.

So, what did this mean?

What was happening?

Not only Sun Xiao but also Mo He and the other team members were dumbfounded. Everyone watching the scene unfold on the live broadcast was equally shocked.

Was it really necessary?

It's just a competition, not a fight to the death; was such a gesture necessary?

Besides, even if it blocked one attack, the final outcome wouldn't change, right?

Even Su Ping blinked. Subconsciously, he felt a bit anxious.

Damn it, could there have been a problem with his training and Cultivation before?

Had he not trained Erzhuang properly, causing it to become rigid and wooden-headed at this moment?

If so, it was possible that Erzhuang had failed to grasp reality, its mind becoming dull.

The question was, the other Wanmu Wolves didn't have this issue, and they all trained together. Could it be that Erzhuang had done fewer math problems or skimmed on its training?

Su Ping's heart drummed with unease.

However, the next moment brought a sudden turn!

On the huge live broadcast screen, the Wanmu Wolf standing before Sun Xiao slowly began to emit a glow. It started from the Y-shaped antlers on its head; they lit up as if electrified, resembling two incandescent columns of light!

In the next moment, to everyone's utter astonishment, it seemed as if a ray of sunshine had pierced through the dark clouds—which weren't actually all that thick—in the overcast Sky Dome, shining down upon Erzhuang.

In this dim world, from this seemingly insignificant little wolf, a final, faint glimmer of light seemed to bloom.

Su Ping seemed to suddenly realize something, his eyes widening. Incredulously, he stared at the scene unfolding on the screen.

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It wasn't just Su Ping. At this moment, everyone's eyes were wide, staring at the scene unfolding before them. They watched the Wanmu Wolf, cornered and facing imminent doom, to see what kind of last-resort card it could still play, what kind of trick it could pull off at this critical juncture.

Clearly, they believed the Wanmu Wolf still had some unknown skills up its sleeve, which it had chosen this moment to finally use. But at this instant, perhaps only Su Ping might have guessed what was truly happening, what the situation entailed. However, at this time, he naturally had no leisure or mood to explain anything to the others. Unblinkingly, he focused on the dramatic scene playing out on the screen.

Light! Er Zhuang's transformation at this moment was startling. Not only Sun Xiao but even Mo He and the others in front of him were dumbfounded. Then, almost in that very instant, everyone, including the Netherworld Demon Tiger that had just been attacking, decisively chose to flee! There was no choice. The closer it came to this moment, the more cautious they had to be. Previously, they had witnessed the uncanny and terrifying capabilities of this Forest Wolf Evolver. Not to mention, the extent of the Tree Realm Prison and those seemingly conjured-from-thin-air skills had truly left them somewhat PTSD-stricken. So, upon seeing that the Forest Wolf Evolver had undergone another strange change, their first reaction was to beat a hasty retreat.

As it turned out, had they made the right choice again?

Er Zhuang, at this moment, looked so different that even Sun Xiao blinked in confusion, a sense of unfamiliarity washing over him. Even the other members of the Forest Wolf Troop, who had been moved from the battlefield but allowed to continue watching, blurted out astonished curses, staring at the screen in disbelief. Because at this moment, Er Zhuang seemed utterly foreign to them.

The Wanmu Wolf was already quite extraordinary, especially in terms of appearance. The Y-shaped antlers resembling tree branches and the foliage-like fur draped all over it meant that if one didn't look at its head, it hardly resembled a Wolf Pet anymore. While not exactly imposing or dominating, it possessed an indescribable sense of depth and substance.

But at this instant, Er Zhuang, before everyone's eyes, transformed yet again. A bright light, starting from its antlers, spread all over its body. The Wanmu Wolf, at this moment, connected with the singular, faint ray of sunlight pouring down from the sky and burst into a gentle glow. This glow wasn't like the effect of a Blinding Technique. It was soft, yet it permeated its entire body with light. Its body seemed to become translucent, and the draping branch-like fur turned into a fusion of gold and white—a color reminiscent of white gold. Even its eyes turned slightly pale.

Looking at the Wanmu Wolf before them, their own Er Zhuang, Sun Xiao was bewildered. Su Ping was also bewildered. All the eliminated warriors were bewildered. Except for Li Da, who hadn't yet been evacuated from the field, the Forest Wolf Troop's other three members were also stunned.

What the hell was all this?

Did their own Forest Wolf have this skill?

They hadn't heard Breeder Su mention this before!

Even they had no idea what capabilities it possessed in this state. But, without a doubt, such a dramatic transformation, once it occurred, was definitely not for show.

Indeed, this seemed to be the case. Sun Xiao stared at Er Zhuang before him. However, Er Zhuang was not looking back at its master, Sun Xiao. Instead, its gaze was directed towards the other Beast Tamers and their Pet Beasts who had fled into the building.

In that moment, the Wanmu Wolf, enveloped by the only sliver of available sunlight, seemed to be the sole protagonist spotlighted on a pitch-dark stage. Above in the sky, a streak of golden light from behind the clouds connected with Er Zhuang.

The entire legion, including Zhao Deguang and the general beside him, were intently watching the solitary figure on the screen. They also wanted to see what other tricks this peculiar Forest Wolf Evolver could pull off at such a time. And the outcome did not disappoint them.

Er Zhuang's slightly pale eyes let out a very deep, whining sound. Suddenly, a radiance as brilliant as the break of dawn surged from the antlered branches atop its head, striking directly towards the building where the remaining Beast Tamers had hidden!

The spectacle was beyond description! Su Ping, with his 82 points in the Chinese language college entrance examination from his previous life, found himself unable to articulate the scene before his eyes.

The light instantaneously illuminated the entire broadcast. This was true for Sun Xiao's live feed and for the views of other Beast Tamers looking their way. An endless radiance, as if a miniature sun had burst open on the spot; though it lacked the sun's terrifying flames, it carried a blazing brilliance and the substantive impact of concentrated light!

**BOOM!**

A colossal rumbling sound exploded at the epicenter of the battlefield. The fully realistic tall building, under such an impact, instantly broke apart. The earth shook and mountains trembled!

Apart from this tumultuous chaos, there were only a few crisp BANG! BANG! BANG! sounds! Those were the sounds of the shields activating on the life-sign wristwatches of all the Beast Tamers present. This wasn't limited to Mo He and the others; it appeared Sun Xiao's shield had activated as well.

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However, besides these, there was also a cry of alarm:

"Er Zhuang!"

Beyond that, the entire live broadcast screen had gone silent.

Not a glimmer of light or shadow appeared again.

Clearly, the final burst of light had utterly destroyed even the life-sign monitoring capabilities of the smartwatches. All live broadcast footage had vanished. The screens turned black, displaying no signal.

What exactly had happened?

At this moment, no one knew, not even what that last scene truly was.

They subconsciously turned their heads to look at a lone figure in the corner not far away. It was that figure who had created such a monster, who had raised such a Pet Beast.

Now, what exactly had this Pet Beast done under such circumstances? Unquestionably, asking the instigator seemed the most direct approach.

However, facing everyone's gaze, including Liu Fuhai beside him and Qin Erlong, who had similarly not processed what had just happened, Su Ping closed his eyes, as if he hadn't seen their looks at all.

If it had been any other time, these people would have already demanded answers in frustration. Who could keep them in suspense like this?

But not now.

Over the past two days, every appearance and action of the Wanmu Wolf had been shattering their imaginations, challenging their cognition. Right up until now, they found it impossible to describe this strange Wanmu Wolf with words.

Is this damn thing a Commander Level Pet Beast?

Who the hell would believe you?

Whose Commander Level Pet Beast could single-handedly eliminate enemies several times their number in a chaotic battle? And whose Commander Level Pet Beast could unleash such terrifying power at the last moment?

So, what exactly had this Breeder done? Although no one knew, no one dared to hasten him either. They even subconsciously believed that Su Ping's closed eyes indicated his satisfaction with this Wanmu Wolf, a sign that he had everything under control.

Yet, no one saw Su Ping's fist trembling inside his sleeve.

Indeed!

He knew it!

At this moment, Su Ping was exceptionally certain, absolutely positive, that his previous ideas were indeed correct! The formula he had realized—ever since he began the Cultivation of the Wanmu Wolf and Old Sha started to change, initiating its Evolution—was absolutely correct!

That bizarre Sunlight Formula.

It had become the most direct reason for the Wanmu Wolf's current terrifying state. Otherwise, without the Sunlight Energy Transformation formula formed by Heart of Woods, Sunlight Absorption, and Photosynthesis, the Wanmu Wolf might still be extraordinary, but it would essentially be just that.

It wasn't that Su Ping was being harsh—it was simply the truth!

Without the bug-like effects of the Sunlight Formula for energy transformation, the Wanmu Wolf wouldn't have had enough Energy to maintain such control with the Tree Prison, let alone unleash a forest torrent effect akin to the Advent of the Tree Realm. The Tree Prison's duration probably wouldn't have exceeded half an hour.

Thus, the Wanmu Wolf's Racial Potential and inherent strength, while top-notch, definitely couldn't exceed those of the elite Pet Beast Evolutionary Bodies in this arena by too much. Those who made it into the competition arena were all Evolutionary Bodies from top-tier Cultivation!

In the end, it was still the inclusion of its own Heart of Woods Skill that led to such a transformative change.

From the beginning, Su Ping had calculated the special combination of this skill formula. However, the ultimate result was merely the rapid absorption and transformed application of Solar Power. The qualitative change he had calculated had never occurred.

But now, Su Ping felt he had seen it!

Indeed, once the local skill levels of these three energy-transformation Skills achieved consistency, an unimaginable metamorphosis would occur. And just now, Er Zhuang, who seemed to have become light itself, was the best proof.

Only Liu Fuhai beside him might have noticed Su Ping's anomaly at this moment.

Similarly, among all present, only Liu Fuhai and a few other Breeders could guess what had happened based on such subtle clues.

Liu Fuhai was one. Rong Qiu, sitting with the invited Breeders, was also one.

At this moment, Rong Qiu, the indifferent woman from Beiyuan Province wearing a black robe, looked at the screen that had turned pitch-dark, and for the first time, her facial control slipped. Her red lips

parted in disbelief, staring fixedly at the dark screen, as if trying to glimpse once more that horrifying scene from the blackness, and to suppress the raging tempest and roars within her heart:

What kind of monstrous son has that old scoundrel Su Anyong managed to raise?

Meanwhile, Ding Yan took a deep breath. He finally swallowed hard. However, it was clear that this newly promoted Senior Breeder didn't grasp the significance of what had just happened as vividly.

Only those Breeders who genuinely understood and had gleaned some insight into what had truly transpired were left utterly stunned.

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But as Breeders, they could still understand that the combat strength and potential of the Wanmu Wolf were enough to prove Su Ping's excellence.

For a moment, the scene was somewhat frozen. However, just then, someone suddenly exclaimed, "No, there's one more person left!" Indeed, at the very edge of their field of vision, a display screen was still lit. The next moment, without needing any command, this sole remaining screen took over the largest central spot, instantly drawing everyone's gaze.

Ling Peng cautiously looked toward the not-too-distant location. This last captain of the Snow Wolf Group had managed to survive until the very end.

In the chaotic battle that had just transpired, although the Snow Wolf Group primarily focused on harassment, by standing on the same side as the Forest Wolf Troop, they had suffered an unprecedented blow. This assault had decimated the Snow Wolf Group, leaving only Captain Ling, who had fled in the confusion.

Ling Peng reassured himself that he had done his duty to the Forest Wolf Troop. When he got out, he should be able to explain himself to Chief Lin and the Troop Leader. So, under these circumstances, lasting a little longer means a few more survival points. Perhaps a critical ranking could come down to this one or two-point difference?

But just then, Ling Peng, who had already retreated to the outermost edge of the battlefield's center, saw a huge flash of light flicker in the city center. The next instant, even from the city's outskirts, he heard a deafeningly terrifying sound and felt the ground tremble violently.

This vibration and this noise made Ling Peng feel immensely relieved about his retreat. If I had been at the very center, who knows how I would have ended up? Luckily, he had run fast.

But intense curiosity also compelled Ling Peng to look back towards the city center. What on earth happened there?

He glanced at his life signs watch. The personnel status displayed on it hadn't changed at all. What's going on? he wondered. With such a huge commotion, not a single person was eliminated?

Finally, Ling Peng gritted his teeth. With his Cold Water Wolf, which had somewhat recovered, he rushed rapidly towards the city center.

After the immense vibration, an eerie silence descended. The entire city was as quiet as a ghost town. Signs of battle were visible everywhere: solidified tree branches, burned-out buildings, and shattered walls and streets. These were the remnants of the previous melee, but now, not a whisper could be heard.

The footage followed Ling Peng's perspective closely, making everyone's heart race. Don't tell me they were all wiped out just like that? they thought. If that's the case, it would be utterly outrageous! These are the elites of each team! If these elites were to die or be injured in the competition, it would be a tremendous loss.

Especially concerning that last event, the Forest Wolf's Evolutionary Body. Theoretically, the one who activated the skill should be fine. Moreover, the life signs watch's shield is supposed to withstand the power of a Monarch Level skill. But you can never rule out the unexpected. After all, Sun Xiao's final cry before the live broadcast screen went black was deeply concerning.

"Damn it, what's this kid dawdling for? Why isn't he moving faster?" one of the commanders grumbled.

"Besides this kid, there are no other teams left. What's he still trying to outlast?" another added.

"Chief Lin, how do you usually instruct your soldiers? How can he still be so timid at a time like this? This won't do!"

Even the Legion's Chief of Staff beside them turned unhappily to look at Lin Lei. Clearly, Ling Peng's manner of slowly, almost stealthily, inching forward toward the center was getting on their nerves. The entire Legion was watching this unfold. Damn it, all the top brass throughout the Legion saw Ling Peng's pathetic, creeping advance, as if he were tailing someone.

Lin Lei felt aggrieved. Is this really something to be scolded for? he thought. In the Legion, especially in live combat exercises, isn't being too careless and losing a tactical opportunity the biggest taboo? Ling Peng is being cautious; no matter how you look at it, that should be considered reasonable, shouldn't it?

But what could Lin Lei say? Under the watchful, unfriendly gazes of the Chief of Staff and several other curious commanders, Lin Lei could only begrudgingly lower his head.

However, he was also irritated internally. The Sand Wolf Troop was too bold and reckless, while Ling Peng of the Snow Wolf Group is indeed too timid. It isn't just the front-row commanders who are curious; I, Chief Lin, am also uncontrollably curious! Who wouldn't be? After all, my own soldier is now in the limelight. What exactly is going on? How could I not be curious?

But there was nothing he could do at this moment. It had to be said that, aside from the emergence of the Wanmu Wolf which had amazed the entire Legion, and the five elites of the Forest Wolf Troop, the person currently leaving the deepest impression on the commanders was Ling Peng, inching so hesitantly towards the very center. It just remains to be seen what Ling Peng himself will think of all this later.

Fortunately, the small city itself wasn't very large. After an agonizing wait as Ling Peng traversed several blocks, the man and wolf finally approached the city center, having come from the outskirts.

However, upon witnessing the scene before him, Ling Peng's jaw dropped. His first instinct was that he had to be seeing things.