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第二批人到達旅館時候已經是莫約要兩小時之後的事情了。

When the second group of people arrived at the hotel, it was around two hours later.

一進門，千冬歲看見跟我們在一起的夏碎學長明顯的愣了好一會兒。

As soon as they entered, when Chifuyu saw Gasai XueZhang together with us, he was clearly stunned for quite a long time.

「原來你先到一步了。」與夏碎打了招呼，伊多友善的點了點頭。

“So you actually arrived here one step earlier.” Greeting Gasai, Yido amicably nodded.

「嗯，我想你們應該會往這邊來，所以先到這邊確定住處。」沒有在意千冬歲盯的死緊的目光，夏碎仍然很自得的跟雅多也打過招呼，「我已經在旅館的四周布下結界，相信休息一晚應該不會有什麼事情發生。」

“Nn, I thought that you guys would head over to this direction, so I came here first to determine the lodgings.” Disregarding Chifuyu tightly staring at him, Gasai was still very at ease as he greeted Yado too, “I’d already set up a barrier around the hotel, I believe resting here for one night should be fine.”

那邊是大人性對話，我跟小亭站在旁邊。

It’s an adult-type of conversation at the other side, I stood at one side with Xiao Ting.

猛然，原本在後面不知道在做什麼的雷多突然整個人往前衝，「雅多～！你們找到行李了啊！」被他這樣一講，我才注意到雅多後面多了一個拖行的大行李箱，正好就是出發之前雷多拖著走的那一個。

Leido, who was originally standing behind and I don’t know what he was doing, suddenly rushed forward, “Yado~! You guys found the luggage!” After he said that, I noticed that behind Yado was a wheeled luggage box, which was the one that Leido was dragging with him before we set out.

「那個裡面裝了什麼那麼大一箱？」我看著雷多把大行李拖進來，就好奇的詢問。

“So what inside that huge box?” I looked at Leido dragging his luggage in, and I curiously asked.

「一些民生用品。」雷多把箱子放到旁邊去，「必要時候還蠻有用處的。」
“Some goods for a person’s livelihood.” Leido put the box at one side, “It’s quite useful when it’s necessary.”

必要時候？
When it’s necessary?

例如把整個城鎮轟了之後沒有物資的時候嗎？
For example when the whole town is being blasted until there are no supplies left, right?

「對了，都沒找到其它人嗎？」看著一行人，夏碎突然發話。
“That’s right, you guys didn’t find anyone else?” Looking at the group of people, Gasai suddenly asked.

「沒有，大概都在另外一邊。早先有遇到冰炎殿下，不過他往排水道下探查去了。」回他話的是雅多，稍早還跟我們同路。
“Nope, they’re probably at the other side. But earlier we did meet up with Prince Icy Flame, but he had already headed down to the drainage channel to investigate.” The person who answered was Yado, “He was even moving together with us for a while.”

「這個我剛剛聽雷多說過了。」夏碎點點頭，然後若有所思的沉默了半晌，「既然今晚在這邊的人還挺多的，我想也往排水道去幫冰炎，單獨他一人我怕會應付不來。」
“I’d already heard this from Leido just now.” Gasai nodded, and then he was silently thinking for a long while, “Since there are rather a lot of people here, I guess I would also head towards the drainage channel to help Icy Flame. If he’s alone, I’m afraid that he might not be able to cope with it.”

果然不愧是拍檔啊，馬上就想到要前往支持這些事情。
Sure enough, worthy of being a partner, immediately thinking of going to support and the like.

「這樣也好，否則我們也是擔心冰炎殿下不曉得會碰上什麼事情……」伊多跟著沉吟了半晌，然後點頭。
“That would also be good, otherwise, we are also worried about what Prince Icy Flame would encounter...” Yido followed suit and pondered for a moment, and then nodded.

其實我也想說我很擔心學長，不知道能不能跟去看看。不過下去的好像都是高手，加上我這個衰人菜鳥好像會礙事，所以話到口邊又讓我吞下去了。
In fact I also wanted to say that I’m very worried about XueZhang, and if I’m allowed to follow them. But those that are going down seemed to be all experts, and if I, who is an unlucky rookie, followed them along, I would most probably get in the way, so when I was about to say that, it was then swallowed back into my mouth.

「不行！」
“No way!”

打破所有人的決定，開口的是從剛剛開始就一語不發的千冬歲，他看了看夏碎，語氣堅決的說：「下午開始湖水就回潮，現在外面已經積起水，排水道也同樣，我不贊成你在這時候往下深入排水道。」

Breaking everyone's decision, the person who opened his mouth was Chifuyu, who had been silent since the beginning. He looked at Gasai, his tone was firm as he said, "Starting from the afternoon the lake water will recede, same for the drainage channel, I don't agree with you going deep into the drainage channel at this time."

所有的人都看向他，然後又看向夏碎。

Everyone looked at him, and then looked at Gasai.

夏碎的表情上沒有任何變化，就維持不變的微笑直視著千冬歲，「你說的沒錯，但是僅是排水道的回流並不會對我造成影響。」

Gasai's expression didn't have any changes, it maintained that unchanging smile, staring straight at Chifuyu, "What you've said is correct, but if it's only the water rising in the drainage channel, it wouldn't cause too much of an impact on me."

「可是現在底下情勢不明，你應該確保沒有額外影響因素的最佳情況下再深入探查才是正確。」完全不想讓步的千冬歲很固執的如此回答，「眼下排水道沉水，且還有不明的霧氣隨時會出現，接下來就入夜了，不管如何衡量，我認為現在進入排水道都是最危險的時候。」

"But the circumstances when the bottom is currently unknown, you should make sure that there wouldn't be any extra factors and with the best condition before going further for in-depth investigation." Chifuyu, who totally didn't want to give in, very stubbornly answered, "We can see that the drainage channel is flooded, and there's the unknown fog that would appear at any time, and then it's going to turn into night time soon. Regardless of how you compare it, I believe that it is the most dangerous time to enter the drainage channel now."

其實我覺得千冬歲分析的很有道理，不管怎樣說，晚上進去陌生的地方的確是最危險的，如果有什麼萬一也很難求救。

In fact, I feel that Chifuyu's analysis was very justified. No matter how you put it, going into a strange place at night is indeed the most dangerous, if anything happened, then it's very difficult to seek for help.

夏碎偏著頭想了好一會兒，「那麼你認為該何時進去？」

Gasai tilted his head and thought for a moment, "Then when do you think is the best time to enter?"

意外的，他居然徵求千冬歲的意見。

Unexpectedly, he actually asked for Chifuyu's opinion.

很明顯的也愣了好一下，千冬歲才回過神，「我認為應該在水退之後的白天與其它人一同進入才能夠彼此照應。」

Obviously also stunned for a moment, Chifuyu finally snapped out of his trance, "I think that after the water has receded in the day, we should go in together with the others to be able to look out for one another."

「那好吧，明日一早我再動身進入排水道。」夏碎很乾脆的改變了決定，乾脆到有一瞬間讓本來好像想好應對的千冬歲又愣了好一下才回過神、呆呆的點點頭。

"Then alright, tomorrow morning I'll enter the drainage channel." Gasai very simply changed his

decision, so simply that there was a moment where it caused Chifuyu, who had already thought of a way to deal with him, to once again become stunned for a moment before snapping out of his trance, foolishly nodding.

搞不好夏碎學長其實是個很好說話的人。

It can't be that Gasai XueZhang is actually someone who is easy to talk to.

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「那好，決定全部在這邊過夜了，大家就一起來整理房間吧！」

"Then alright, it's decided that everyone will be spending a night here, so all of us can come together to clean the room!"

打破了短暫的詭異沉默，裡面年紀最大的伊多拍了拍掌心，大夥兒立即跟著看過去，「為了預防今夜被個別突擊，我看大家委屈一晚，並了床位全都睡在同一個房間吧。」

Breaking that brief strange silence, Yido, who was the eldest amongst us, clapped his hands, and all of us immediately followed and looked across, "To avoid being attacked one by one, I think we'll have to trouble everyone for one night, move all the beds together and sleep in the same room."

意思就是要睡大通鋪？

That means we'll be sleeping on a huge bed lined up together?

我長大之後就沒睡過這玩意了，感覺好新鮮。

After I'd grew up, I'd never slept in this kind of thing already, and it felt rather new.

「打枕頭戰！」已經當成戶外教學的雷多發出歡呼。然後，他旁邊的兄弟直接一把摀住他的嘴巴不讓他廢話，把整個人往旁邊架走。

"Pillow fight!" Already treating this as an outdoor class, Leido cheered. Then, his brother beside him directly covered his mouth to stop him from issuing anymore nonsense, and dragged him to one side.

「我沒意見。」夏碎勾起微笑。

"I have no opinions." Gasai curved up a smile.

他沒意見，當然千冬歲也不會有意見，天知道他想跟他哥培養好關係有多久了，整個人看起來好像還有點興奮。

He doesn't have any opinions, and of course Chifuyu also wouldn't have any opinions, only god knows how long he had been hoping to develop a good relationship with his Ge, and he completely looked like he was rather excited.

「枕頭戰是什麼？」小亭蹦了蹦，巴在夏碎腳邊仰起頭，小臉好奇的詢問，「打贏了可以把輸的人吃光嗎？」

"What's a pillow fight?" Xiao Ting bounced a few times, and was close beside Gasai's feet as she lifted her head, that small face was full of curiosity as she asked, "The winner is allowed to eat all the losers?"

「不可以。」用一種很平常的口氣，夏碎非常正經的回答她的問題。

“No.” Using a very normal tone, Gasai was extremely serious as he answered her question.

「喔。」黑蛇小妹妹喪氣的走開。

“Oh.” The black snake little MeiMei was very disheartened as she walked away.

確定所有人都沒有問題之後，伊多繼續未竟的話題，「剛剛我們也在外面收集了一些食材、同時確保沒有問題，我看就分成兩組，一組整理房間、另外一組就準備晚餐如何？」

After he determined that everyone agrees to it, Yido continued his unfinished topic, “Just now we collected some ingredients outside, and at the same time we ensured that there’re no problems with them, I guess we can divide into two groups. One group will be tidying the room and the other group will get ready for dinner, how’s that?”

當然，全數通過。

Without a doubt, it was agreed by everyone.

然後，問題就來了。

And then, the problem arise.

「誰會煮菜？」

“Who knows how to cook?”

一個問話下來，所有人都面面相覷。

As soon as the first question was asked, everyone started looking at one another.

「我跟雅多會做簡便的菜色，不過不是很好，不能太過期待。」很有自知之明的雷多第一個跳出來說話，「伊多也一樣，不過他厲害一點。」

“Yado and I only know how to make simple dishes, but it’s not that good, so you can’t expect too much.” Being very self-aware, Leido was the first one to jump out and say, “Yido is also the same, but he’s a little better.”

我好像沒看過千冬歲做吃的東西過。

I seemed to have never seen Chifuyu make anything eatable before.

但是我知道喵喵很會做飯，因為每次出遊都是她準備餐盒的，就是可惜現在她不在這邊。

But I know that Miao Miao is very good at cooking, because every time when we go out travelling, she would prepare lunch boxes, it’s just that it’s unfortunate that she’s not here now.

「主人很厲害，主人會做飯！」黑蛇小妹妹整只黏到她家主人的腿上，很得意的大聲說，「主人還會做飯後點心……」

“Owner is very good, owner is very good at cooking!” The black snake little MeiMei was totally stuck on her owner’s lap, very proud as she loudly said, “Owner also knows how to make desserts after meal...”

「好了，夠了。」夏碎拍拍她的頭，小亭立即就閉上嘴，「那麼我與伊多去準備晚餐，剩下的人去整理房間吧。」

“Alright, that’s enough.” Gasai patted her head, and Xiao Ting immediately shut up, “Then I’ll prepare dinner with Yido, and the others can go and clean up the room.”

「那話說不如馬上動作。」雷多手上掛著剛剛拿下來最大房間的鑰匙，「各位小的們，跟著雷多大爺來吧！」

“Then instead of talking over here, let’s move now.” The key to the largest room that was taken down just now was hanging on Leido’s hand, “You little ones, come and follow Uncle Leido!”

我突然覺得他有點像某個人，某個腦袋調色盤的人。

I suddenly felt that he was rather similar to a certain person, a certain person whose head is palette.

「誰是小的！」雅多往他後腦一敲，趁他吃痛時候劈手奪過鑰匙就往樓梯走去，「千冬歲、漾漾，來吧。」

“Who are you calling little ones!” Yado knocked him behind his head, and while he was in pain, he snatched the keys and went up the stairs, “Chifuyu, Yang Yang, let’s go.”

千冬歲看了一下他老哥，然後才跟上去，我連忙尾隨在後跑上去。

Chifuyu looked at his LaoGe for a moment, and only then did he follow and went up. I quickly ran up trailing behind them.

「喂喂，等我一下！」被拋棄在後面的雷多立刻跟上來，超過我們兩個追上他家雙胞兄弟用力勾住他的頸，「你在搞我的人際分化是嗎！」

“Wei wei, wait for me!” Being abandoned at the back, Leido immediately followed us up, moving past us and chasing after his twin brother and hooked onto his neck hard, “You are trying to ruin my social life!?”

「並沒有。」很習慣對付他的雅多將他的手拍掉。

“I did not.” Very accustomed to dealing with him, Yado brushed off his hand.

跟著雅多的腳步，我們直直上了第五個樓層。與其它房間門密集的樓層不太一樣，五樓之後的房門都隔了好一些距離，也可見房間大小的確差異很大。

Following Yado’s footsteps, we went straight to the fifth floor. Different from the other floors where the room doors were densely packed together, the doors on the fifth floor were separated some good distance away, and it could be seen that the size of the rooms varies greatly.

很安靜。

Very quiet.

綿長寬闊的走廊什麼聲音也沒有。

The lingering wide corridor was devoid of any sound.

按著門房號碼找到了其中一間房間，雅多輕輕敲叩了兩下，大約等待了數秒鐘之後才拿鑰匙轉開門鎖。

Finding one of the rooms according to the room’s number, Yado lightly knocked twice, and after waiting for about a few seconds, he took out the key to unlock the door.

門扉一開，整個室內就自動亮起來了。

As soon as the door opened, the entire interior just automatically lit up.

小城鎮裡面旅館不是高級飯店，所以當然沒上次我跟學長住的地方那麼好。

The hotel in a small town is not the high-class restaurant, so, of course it wasn't as good as the one I went with XueZhang the last time.

不過整個房間看起來就是很溫馨，原木貼成的牆壁地板都給人很舒服的感覺。房裡面陳列了好幾張看起來就是很舒服的彈簧大床，一看就知道應該是給家庭還是小型社團出遊時候使用的，旁邊還有電視梳妝鏡什麼東西，櫃上還整整齊齊的擺妥了簡便的盥洗用具，一共有八份。

But the whole room looked very warm, the wooden walls and floorings gave one a very comfortable feeling. Inside the room there were a few spring beds that look really comfortable. Just looking at it, and one would know that this room should be for a family or some small communities. At one side, there's a television and a dressing table with a mirror and whatnot, and simple toiletries have been neatly placed on the cabinet, a total of eight sets.

「大床～」小亭整個人撲跳上去，我現在才注意到原來她也跟上來了。

"Big bed～" Xiao Ting completely jump on top of it, it's only now that I realized she also followed us upstairs.

「好像很不錯的感覺。」雷多四周打量了一下，「把床給並一併吧！」他看起來就是某種畢業旅行興奮狂，第一個衝過去開始把床全部推到一起。

"Seems like it looks really nice." Leido looked around for a bit, "Line up the beds!" He looked just like some kind of excited crazy person who was on a graduation trip, and was the first one to rush over and push all the beds together.

「我可不可以自己睡旁邊一張……」看著床鋪全部給連成一條線，千冬歲發出微弱的抗議聲。

"Can I sleep by myself at the side..." Looking at the beds being lined up in a straight line, Chifuyu issued a faint protest.

雷多轉過來，一臉嚴肅，「你不合群。」他發出指控。

Leido turned around, with a serious face, "You don't have the spirit of being in a group." He issued an allegation.

「我沒有！」

"I do!"

我覺得就算是很擅於抗辯的千冬歲可能遇到這類人都沒轍，他們不是用正常溝通就可以理解的。

I feel that even if Chifuyu is good at comebacks, he probably couldn't do anything against this type of person, they can't understand you using the typical way of communication.

「你有，看你一個人與大眾意見不合，自己想一個人睡角落，由此可知你不但不合群而且還孤僻，這種壞毛病要改喔！」雷多煞有其事的開始說教起來。

"You don't. Look, you're the only one whose opinion is different from the rest, wanting to sleep alone at

one corner, and from this it can be seen that you not only don't have the spirit of being in a group, you're also unsociable. You should change this kind of bad habit!" Leido started to act as if he was serious as he began to preach.

說真的，我有點想笑，可是看到千冬歲一臉想把他拽了丟出窗外的臉色，我連一個聲音都不敢亂髮，只能硬忍下來。

To be honest, I kind of wanted to laugh, but looking at Chifuyu whose face was filled with wanting to drag him and throw him out of the window kind of expression, so I didn't even dare to utter a single sound, and could only force myself to swallow it down.

「別管他們，我們先整理吧。」明顯已經很習慣這重場面的雅多拍拍我的肩膀，然後無視於房中兩個快打起來的人走到旁邊的大木櫃抱出棉被。

"Don't mind them, let's start cleaning." Obviously already very accustomed to this kind of scenes, Yado patted my shoulder, and then disregarding the two people that were about to start fighting in the room, he walked towards the huge wooden cabinet at one side and took out the quilts.

我連忙跟過去幫忙拿。

I hurriedly went past and help him to take some.

拿出來的棉被整個是軟的，軟得好像要滑手拿不住一樣，上面還有淡淡香氣，整個就是讓人很想撲上去磨蹭一下。

The quilts that were taken out were extremely soft, so soft that it seemed like it's about to slip off my hands and I couldn't hold it, and there was also a faint aroma on it, totally causing one to feel like jumping on it and lightly rubbing it.

鋪床跟整理棉被很簡單，在雷多和千冬歲準備捉對出去走廊廝殺時候我們大致上就全部整理完成。

It was very easy to put on the bed sheets and tidy the quilts, and when Leido and Chifuyu were getting ready to go out to the corridor to start a hand-to-hand combat, we had already mostly finished with tidying up the room.

「好了，別玩了。」

"Alright, stop fooling around."

整個弄完之後，雅多走出門外還很自然的一把將他家兄弟拖走。

After everything was done, Yado walked out of the room and very naturally dragged his brother away.

大概也不想跟他有所糾纏，千冬歲走進房間隨便往床鋪上一坐，一聲不吭。

Probably he also doesn't want to be entangled with him, Chifuyu went into the room and casually sat on the bed without saying anything.

我開始有種要不要幫別人收拾善後的猶豫。

I started having a kind of hesitation of whether I should help someone to prepare his funeral.

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「他沒有在生氣。」

“He’s not angry.”

打破一室沉靜的是小亭，她很勇敢的整個人撲貼在千冬歲的背上。

The person, who broke the silence, was Xiao Ting, and she very bravely hugged onto Chifuyu’s back.

等等，她剛剛說什麼？

Wait a minute, what did she just say?

斜眼看了背後的小亭一眼，不怒反而勾起淡淡的微笑，千冬歲推了推厚重的眼鏡，「你又知道我沒生氣了。」

Looking sideways at Xiao Ting behind him, he wasn’t angry, instead he curved up a faint smile, Chifuyu pushed at his thick glasses, “And how did you know that I’m not angry.”

看起來千冬歲好像真的沒有生氣。

Looks like Chifuyu really wasn’t angry.

「當然知道，因為主人……啊！」小亭突然跳開，然後自己摀住嘴巴蹦下床，「小亭什麼都沒說！我要去找主人了！」說完，還沒等到千冬歲叫她時候整個人就像一團風一樣狂速的刮逃走了。

“Of course I know, because owner... ah!” Xiao Ting suddenly jumped away, and then covered her own mouth and jumped off the bed, “Xiao Ting didn’t say anything! I want to go and find owner!” Finishing her sentence and before Chifuyu could call out to her, she completely ran away just like the wind as she speedily blew past and escaped.

說真的，通常講話講成這樣才會讓別人起疑心。

To be honest, normally when you speak in this manner it would cause others to become suspicious.

我跟千冬歲對看了一眼，他沒有意思要追上去，只是坐在原位像是想什麼東西的思考了好一會兒，「漾漾，你有沒有覺得今晚好安靜？」猛然他抬了頭，衝著我就是這麼一句話。

I exchanged glances with Chifuyu, he didn’t look like he was going to chase after her, only to sit down at the same place as if he was thinking about something and pondered for a moment, “Yang Yang, don’t you feel that it’s very quiet tonight?” He suddenly lifted his head, and asked me such a question.

晚？

Night?

我瞄了一下手錶，的確有點黃昏了，大約五點多的時間。

I glanced at my watch. It’s indeed starting to become dusk. It’s about five plus.

「安靜？」沒啥人安靜是正常的吧？而且你們剛剛並不安靜。

“Quiet?” If there’s no people then for it to be quiet should be considered as normal, right? And just now you guys were definitely not quiet at all.

「四點開始湖之鎮會大量積水、五點進水，六點開始就會高達膝蓋深度，七點之後就無法出門。現在是進水時間，為什麼外面會這麼安靜？」把情報刻在腦子裡面的千冬歲發出疑問，當然他也知道我絕對不可能回答他，除非我是神。

“Starting at four o’clock, Lake Town will start to accumulate up huge amount of water, at five water will start to enter, and starting from six the water level will reach your knees, and at seven one wouldn’t be able to go outdoors. Now it’s the time for water to start entering, but why is it so quiet outside?”

Engraving the information into his mind, Chifuyu issued a doubt, but of course he also knows that I definitely wouldn’t be able to answer him, unless I’m god.

「呃……剛剛夏碎學長說有布結界，會不會是那個關係？」不好意思，知識很貧乏的我只想到這個可能。

“Uhh... just now Gasai XueZhang said that he did set up a barrier, could it be something to do with that?” I’m sorry, the very normal me could only think of this possibility.

「不是說沒可能。」千冬歲點點頭，算是同意我的話，「你覺得剛剛小亭想說什麼？」

“It’s not impossible.” Chifuyu nodded, considered to be agreeing with me, “What do you think Xiao Ting wanted to say just now?”

我愣了一下。

I was stunned for a moment.

話題會不會跳太遠？

Isn’t the topic change too large?

還是老大你本來就想問這句，前面的只是掩飾話而已？

Or boss, you originally wanted to ask this, and the first question was just to cover it up?

「呃、我也不曉得。」我又不是黑蛇小鬼的腹蟲，誰知道她剛剛想說什麼。不過根據常理和所有的小說劇情來推斷，就是遲鈍如我，也覺得她剛剛好像想說夏碎學長還是千冬歲的事情，只是不知道哪件就是。

“Uhh, I don’t know either.” I’m not the worm in the black snake little brat’s stomach, who knows what she was trying to say just now. But according to common sense and all the light novel’s plot, even the slow-witted me would also feel that just now she seemed to have wanted to say something regarding Gasai XueZhang or Chifuyu, just that I don’t know what was it.

如果我會想到這層，千冬歲肯定想到的比我更多。

If I could be able to think up to that stage, Chifuyu definitely would have been able to think of more compared to me.

搞不好他已經自我在心中上演了三千種不同的版本哩。

Maybe he had already played out three thousand kinds of different versions in his heart.

「對了，你的手怎麼了？」終於發現我手上捆了一堆不明紙巾的千冬歲疑惑的湊過來。
“That’s right, what happened to your hand?” Finally noticing my hand was wrapped in a pile of unknown paper towels, Chifuyu puzzledly came over.

「喔，剛剛在樓下時候碰到奇怪的東西。」我把白霧黃霧的事情說了一遍，前面的人越聽臉色越不對。

“Oh, just now I encountered something strange downstairs.” I told him about the matter with the white fog and yellow fog, and the expression of the person in front of me was getting uglier and uglier.

「你碰了白霧受傷？」劈手把我的手拉過去三兩下拆掉紙巾，千冬歲眯起眼看著那個很像被融過的手指尖。

“You got hurt after touching the white fog?” Suddenly grabbing at my hand, pulling it to his side and removing the paper towels in just moments, Chifuyu narrowed his eyes and looked at my fingertips that seemed to have been corroded.

「這個應該不會得破傷風吧？」說真的，沒提我還沒想到，現在他臉色凝重，我有種可能會得什麼病的感覺。

“This wouldn’t cause tetanus, right?” To be honest, if he didn’t mention it I wouldn’t have thought of it, now that his expression was so serious, I had a kind of feeling where I probably would get some kind of disease.

千冬歲白了我一眼。
Chifuyu rolled his eyes at me.

好吧，我知道我說錯話了。
Alright, I know I said something wrong.

「這就奇怪了，剛剛我碰過黃霧，可是黃霧並不會傷人。」從自己的背包裡面翻出簡單的包紮用具，千冬歲拖了我的手開始上藥包紮，「可是黃霧會破壞建築物。」

“This is strange, just now I also touched the yellow fog, but the yellow fog doesn’t hurt people.” Taking out simple dressing appliances from his backpack, Chifuyu tugged at my hand and started to apply medicine and dress it up, “But the yellow fog destroys buildings.”

黃霧會破壞建築物？
The yellow fog destroys buildings?

我看著被包起來的手，手是被白霧融傷的。
I looked at my hand that was bandaged, my hand was indeed being injured by the white fog.

「方纔我就是用追蹤數到一半，突然冒出黃霧把我的東西都融了，後來那片霧就竄逃到建築物裡面，為了杜絕後患，我乾脆全都一起炸毀了。」很快包紮完的千冬歲把手還給我，然後環著手走來走去，「白霧的話是傷人，黃霧的話是傷東西……這不就是……」

“Just now when I was halfway through using tracking technique, the yellow fog suddenly appeared and melted my things, and in the end that fog escaped into one of the buildings, and in order to put an end to future troubles, I just blew all of them up together.” Very quickly finished dressing my wounds, Chifuyu

gave me back my hand, and then he folded his arms and started walking to and fro, “White fog would hurt people, and yellow fog would hurt things... isn’t this...”

他突然停下腳步。

He suddenly stopped in his tracks.

「酸鹼性嗎？」我舉手發話。

“Alkaline’s characteristics?” I lifted my hands and said.

「.....」千冬歲無言了。

“...” Chifuyu was speechless.

「不好意思，當我沒說話。」不過我真的覺得有點那種感覺。

“I’m sorry, pretend that I didn’t say anything.” But I really think that it’s similar to that kind of feeling.

顯然也真的有那種打算的千冬歲在旁邊的床鋪上坐下，「這個好像是.....曾經有發生過這類事情.....」

Clearly also intending to do so, Chifuyu sat down on the bed at one side, “This feels like... something that’s similar to what happened before...”

「是學長說的那個嗎？」我突然想起來學長臨行前說過的話，「以前什麼鬼王出來之前也有村莊發生這些事情。」

“The one that XueZhang mentioned before?” I suddenly thought of the words that XueZhang said before we left, “Last time before the Ghost King whatchamacallit appeared, there were also villages that had the same kind of happenings.”

「你說的那個是精靈事件，不過還有另外一個，這件事情應該連學長也不知道，是我們雪野家的秘案。」

“The one that you’re referring to is the elfin incident, but there is still another one. This case should be something that even XueZhang doesn’t know about, it’s our Yukino Clan’s secret case.”

秘案？

Secret case?

傳說中那種只有自家人能知道、外人知曉則死那種東西嗎！？

The legendary only the clan members are allowed to know about, and if outsiders found out about it, they would be killed kind of thing!?

「那個.....我可以聽嗎？」我戰戰兢兢的發問，如果他說不可以，我要立刻摀住耳朵逃出房間。
“That’s... Am I allowed to listen to it?” I gingerly asked, and if he said that I can’t, I’ll immediately cover my ears and run out of the room.

「基本上是不可以，不過我還是可以說給你聽，但是不能告訴第三個人，不然.....」

“Basically you’re not, but I still can tell you about it, but you are not allowed to tell a third person, or else...”

我知道不然之後會接什麼了，因為他之前也說過一樣的話。

I already know what is after the “or else”, because he said the same thing before in the past.

後面接的是切脖子。

It's followed by the action of running his fingers across his neck.

「在大約十多年前……」

“About ten years ago...”

我還來不及捂耳逃出，千冬歲已經開始講古了，「雪野家曾經收到一個奇怪的事件，由外地送來的是一個已經半腐的殘屍跟一瓶裝了白色氣體的瓶子。」

Before I could cover my ears and escape, Chifuyu had already started his story-telling, “Yukino Clan once received a strange case, being sent from another place was the remains of a half rotten corpse and a bottle that was filled with white gas.”

糟糕……我有種大事不妙的感覺。

This is bad... I had a kind of feeling that something really bad is going to happen.

「據說那具屍首似乎是出了一次的任務，但是一入地點沒多久立即遭殺害，同行的人親眼見到他觸碰了白霧，便被疾速腐蝕，他的同伴只來的急在屍體被全部融畢之前搶救下來，但是沒辦法保住他的性命。」千冬歲抬起頭，非常認真的看著我，「因為，前後發生僅僅只花了三秒鐘。」

“It's said that the dead person seemed to have went out on a mission, but as soon as he entered the location, he was immediately killed, and those who went with him saw with their own eyes, that when he touched the white fog, he was quickly corroded. His companions were only able to salvage his body before it was completely being melted down, but they couldn't save his life.” Chifuyu lifted his head, extremely serious as he looked at me, “Because, this thing happened in just three seconds.”

三秒！

Three seconds!

三秒鐘！？

Three seconds!?

這位大哥你有沒有少講了一個零？

This DaGe, did you missed out a zero behind?

我突然有種我剛剛是大難不死的撿到感。果然人還是不要知道太多比較好，現在聽一聽，我已經很確定下次白霧出來時候我一定不是堵水口，而是尖叫著逃走。

I suddenly had a sense of I didn't die in that huge disaster just now. Sure enough, it'd be better if people don't know too much, now that I'd listen to it, I'm already very sure that the next time the white fog appears, I definitely wouldn't be plugging up the pipe's opening, instead I would be screaming as I run away.

「後來這件事情就不了了之了，時間一久也沒人提，所以我剛剛才會突然想到。」聳聳肩，千冬歲用一種沒什麼的語氣這樣說著。

“In the end this matter ended without a conclusion, and when the matter became more distant, no one

else mentioned this anymore, so I only suddenly thought of this just now.” Shrugging, Chifuyu said in a tone that didn’t seem to matter.

如果可以，你還是不要想到會比較好。

If it’s possible, it’d be better if you didn’t think of this.

嗯……等等，好像有哪邊不對？

Nn... wait a minute, something seemed to be wrong somewhere?

「你說有人送白霧過去？那有沒有人分析那是啥玩意？」我記得千冬歲他家是什麼情報大集地之類的，應該沒可能直接把瓶子丟到垃圾車上接著被載去掩埋吧？

“You said that someone sent you the white fog? Then did anyone analyze what that thing was?” I remember Chifuyu’s clan is the whatchamacallit the huge information gathering place or the like, so it should be impossible for them to directly throw the bottle into the garbage car and then send it to be buried, right?

「有，不過那時候我只有半個月，沒有人告訴我，後來也沒記載進述本裡面，所以我不知道到底有沒有順利分析出來。」

“Yes, but during that time I was only half a month old, so no one told me about it, and in the end it also wasn’t recorded in the books, so I don’t know if they successfully analyzed it.”

我看著千冬歲，突然有一種感動。

I looked at Chifuyu, suddenly feeling kind of being moved.

原來也有他不知道的東西。

So there are actually also things that he doesn’t know about.

「對了，搞不好夏碎會知道！」一擊掌，千冬歲猛然喊了一聲。

“That’s right, maybe Gasai would know!” Clapping his hands, Chifuyu suddenly shouted.

是說，那時候你半個月，夏碎學長應該也只要一歲半個月，應該也不會有人去告訴他這種事吧？

So to say, that time you’re only half a month old, Gasai XueZhang probably is only one and a half years old, so there shouldn’t be anyone telling him this kind of matter, right?

「漾漾，你去問看看吧。」

“Yang Yang, you can try asking and see.”

我？

Me?

我去問？

I’m the one to go and ask?

「為什麼是我去問？」

“Why is it that I’m the one to go and ask?”

「你也知道我跟夏碎交情不好，還是你去問比較不會尷尬。」千冬歲很認真的說。
“You also know that my relationship with Gasai isn’t good, so it’ll be less embarrassing if you’re the one to ask.” Chifuyu very seriously said.

「可是這樣就等於告訴第三個人了！」剛剛不知道是誰說不能告訴第三個人耶！
“But this is equal to telling a third person!” Just now who was the one who said that I’m not allowed to tell a third person!

「他也是雪野家的人，不算在裡面。」直接出手推我催促著，可能比我還想知道的千冬歲不由分說的一直推推推推，把我推出房間。
“He is also someone of the Yukino Clan, so he’s not included.” Directly pushing me to urge me on, Chifuyu, who probably was even more curious to know about it than me, didn’t even allow me to reject as he kept on pushing me, and finally pushed me out of the room.

最好夏碎學長會知道。
It’d be best if Gasai XueZhang knows about this.

「如果他不告訴我嘞？」我覺得有百分之九十他不會告訴我。
“If he doesn’t want to tell me?” I felt that there’s a ninety percent chance that he wouldn’t tell me.

「他一定會告訴你的。」
“He will definitely tell you.”

「最好是！」
“It’d better be that way!”

「真的會啦，相信我，快去！」千冬歲直接拉了我的手出房間，死拖活拖的把我拖下樓梯，「而且早點知道也可以早點解決，你去問兩句又不會對你有什麼害處。」
“He really will, trust me, hurry up and go!” Chifuyu directly pulled my hand out of the room, desperately dragging me down the stairs, “And also the earlier we know, the earlier we can solve this, you’re just asking one or two questions, and it wouldn’t do you any harm.”

他說的好像也對。
What he’d said seemed to also be right.

「那我去問，如果他不知道就沒辦法了。」我總不能叫他隨便生一段話給我吧？
“Then I’ll go and ask, and if he doesn’t know then there’s nothing I can do about it.” I couldn’t just ask him to simply give birth to an answer for me, right?

「當然。」
“Of course.”

我用力的深呼吸一下，「那好，我出發了。」
I took a deep breath, “Then alright, I’m off.”

「加油！」
“Do your best!”

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