

I'M THE KING OF TECHNOLOGY

Chapter 351 Everyone Finally Knows!!

--The Capital, The Empire of Yodan--

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The light summer breeze gently caressed the cheeks of the busy people.

Everyone walked and talked even more excitedly, compared to last week.

And all this was due to the fact that their eyes had now been open to the finer things in life.

Of course ever since the start of this week, certain stores had been getting a crowd of people daily.

And just like other regions, the people here had also become crazed as well.

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"Boss! Boss!..... please give me that canned beef stew and Fanta again."

"Hey!... no cutting the line!

I was here first!!

Boss Jingo! Boss Jingo!... I need that red lipstick and Lavender Shampoo A.S.A.P."

"You women... we need more important things and you're thinking about that?

Boss!!..... please, I need that Ketchup, butter, Vinegar and canned Tuna again!"

"Boss Jingo.... please I need something called a pen, as well as exercise books, pencils and an eraser."

"Sorry everyone... most of the things that you've called out have just been sold out."

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"Boss Jingo... are you joking with me?

My friend just bought the Vanilla Oreo biscuits yesterday, as well as apple juice... so how can you tell me that it's out of stock?

Didn't your goods just arrive at the start of the week?

How can it be finished already?"

"Boss Jingo!.... so what do you want my baby to use now as diapers?

Sure, I could use rags again... but do you have any idea how soft those diapers are for my baby's buttocks?

Do you have any idea how much those diapers can absorb without letting any spill out?

And do you know that compared to rags that I have to change every 30 minutes due to my baby's mess..... these ones could even stay on for more than 5 hours without me changing them?

Boss Jingo..... it's either you give me more diapers or you fight me!!"

"Boss Jingo!!..... I had rushed here to get pens and books because I had finally found someone to teach my children how to write.... and now you tell me that everything is out of stock?

Hehehehe..... Boss Jingo, it's like you want to block my family's road to success tight?"

"Boss Jingo.... how can blankets and watches run out so quickly?

Hmpp!!..... I suspect you of embezzling some of the goods here.

Sir. Benjamin will definitely hear about this!

Just you wait!!"

"What are we even discussing with him for?

Get him!!!!!!!"

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And so, the angry crowd soon pushed down several guards and stamped all over them, like a herd of angry hippos.

Boss Jingo quickly shut the door tightly, and prayed that this stone building could stand still against these crazy people.

When was the last time that he had ever run like this?

It almost made him feel like he was a thief instead?

What the hell?

How was it his fault that Baymard's goods were so darn good?

He had made up his mind that when he sees Santa again.... he would ask for a raise God-Dammit!!

'Bang! Bang! Bang! Bang! Bang! Bang!'

"Boss Jingo..... open up alright?

We mean no harm..... we just want to talk to you one-on-one"

As the people continued banging the iron doors, he couldn't help but say a little prayer to the guards outside.

Goodbye old pals

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But of course, while some people were busy harassing the workers within these stores, others who had already been satisfied with how much they had previously bought.... all walked and hoisted about all the grand things that they had heard about Baymard goods ... from the merchants, store workers and many others.

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"Wahhhhh!!!.... there is this new thing I saw today in one of the stores, and I just got the last one.

It's called a mattress!!"

"Mattress?... what's that?"

"Are you living under a rock or something?"

That's one of the latest goods to hit the city since the beginning of this week.

And it's only sold at any of sir Benjamin's stores."

"Ahhh!!!.... you mean the sir Benjamin of Carona?"

"Exactly!!... that same one.

Apparently, the goods were gotten from a magical place called Baymard!

They even passed several things called brochures and Pamphlets around for several schools as well!"

"Really?.... buy wouldn't that be too expensive if the place was really that magical?"

"Like I said.... you're living under a rock!!

It's quite cheap compared to knight Academy by far... and there, they offer several other subjects as well.

And you know what.... I even heard that the poor and the rich still sit in one class there."

"You're lying!!!!

That can't be right!!"

"Would I lie to you?

Look! Look! These are the pamphlets and brochures!"

"Ehh?... so it's true?"

"Of course it's true!!..."

I also heard that there is some sort of magical ship that only needs a couple of days to travel from Baymard to Carona

Tsk!!.... Do you see why I say that you've been living under a rock now?

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The streets were filled with new rare products that had never been seen in the entire Phymo continent before..... and surprisingly, everyone soon realised that at the back of every Baymard product, the words: 'Made in Baymard' would be that as well..... lest someone wanted to scam them.

The streets were also filled with kids with new toys, be it Barbie, action figures and so on.... As well as cards, puzzles, jump ropes and so on.

In short, there was everything for everyone there at very reasonable prices.

But of course with the citizens buzzing about Baymard and its goods, how could the royals be exempt from it all?

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"Are the rumors true?" Asked a young man, who was currently standing on a massive terrace.

"Your majesty.... from all that we've gathered, it appears that these merchants aren't lying at all!

And there's also more about this Landon fellow."

"Ohh?" The young man said, while taking the report from his subordinate's hands.

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And after 4 more minutes, his deep husky laugh could be heard echoing all around the room.

He looked at the sky and chuckled a bit more.

Indeed.... there are 2 many hidden swords within this world.

Who would've thought that the bastard prince that everyone looked down on, would one day take the entire continent by surprise?

In several ways, Landon was quite similar to himself..... as he too was thought to be a useless prince.

And now, he was the ruler of Yodan.

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Sirius smiled, as he continued to read the report.

What really amazed him, was the fact that all these ideas came from Landon himself.

If any of this information was true, then this Landon fellow was really a gem!!

He created new rules, reorganized the land... as well as developed the place to such an extent.

And from what was written here, people needed to have something called a Passport before they could enter Baymard.

And there were things called cars, trains, and buses as well.

But no matter how much they explained it to him, he couldn't believe or understand it at all.

How could anything move without a horse or an animal to pull along?

And he didn't even want to think about the schooling situation there.

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He had seen the brochures and pamphlets for all the schools there... and his first thought was how they had managed to get colored paper done.

Followed by, what sort of paper was this, and Why was it much sturdier than the parchment paper?

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Looking at the school programs that they offered, he himself couldn't help but want to enroll in one of them as well.

He had to say that whoever was in charge of wording these documents.... truly knew how to reel someone in at first glance.

This was marketing at its finest!

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"Christian!"

"Yes your majesty!" Answered his second in command.

"It seems like we've been cooped up in Yodan for too long.

After all, the world has changed drastically... and here we are, with no clue about it whatsoever."

"Your majesty... will we leave officially, or unofficially."

"No.... we'll be leaving unofficially!!

If we tell people that we're going to Baymard, don't you think that we'll be moving targets for our enemies?

Don't forget all that we've been through just to avoid my all attacks from my father's wives.

No... that wouldn't be wise at all.... so we'll announce our departure towards our other official base instead.

And along the way, you, myself and 10 more men, will disguise ourselves and head on towards the shores.... just like we always do.

So I need you to make the arrangements immediately, because we'll be leaving in a month's time.

It's time that we see this Baymard for ourselves, wouldn't you agree?"

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And of course Sirius was not the only one making plans as well.

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"So when do we leave your majesty?"

"In 2 month's time of course!!"

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"Mother... so when are we going?"

"Silly child.... we are enemies with Arcadina, and Baymard was once their territory as well.

So they might not even welcome us at all.

But not to worry... soon, mummy will give you Baymard on a platter of gold alright?"

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A few days had gone by in a flash... and just like that, Baymard had already entered its last week of June.

Landon had already returned back from his glorious mission alongside his men.

The first thing that he did when he returned, was to see how far along the wedding preparations had gone.... because 2 weeks from now, the official Royal Wedding would commence.

And once all that was ironed out, Landon then decided to head out towards Riverdale city.

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Speaking of Riverdale city... Landon indeed had plans to make it into his own.

But of course he would have to ask that Ghostly Prince fellow before he did so.

Either way, whether the city was given to him or not.... it wouldn't necessarily affect Baymard's growth all that much.

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For starters, just because a territory was small, didn't mean that it wouldn't be powerful.

Back on earth, there were tiny but powerful countries like Singapore.... that could were well off, even though they were small.

It would be great if he could get Riverdale city.... but he wasn't going to kill himself if he didn't.

Baymard would still stand tall no matter what!!

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Also, the more Landon thought about the System's suggestion of not taking other people's lands forcefully... the more he approved of it as well.

If he went about doing so... other leaders and rulers of several empires might be fearful of him, rather than appreciative.

And this could definitely backfire in the long run.

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One could imagine land being equivalent to money.... if he had money, and someone who was more powerful kept taking or cutting his money away from him.... even though he wouldn't be able to do something to that person, he would still be resentful.

And who knows.... maybe he could get allies who faced the same issues or were fearful of that person to deal with him together.

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Well, people could still attack him due to greed.... but that was much better and easier to deal with than him causing trouble and accumulating people's hatred points.

Just like other small but powerful nations back on earth..... Landon had chosen to remain true to his values.

Hence he would only take land if it was unoccupied, given to him or if the people were in dire need of a leader and the system had no one in mind.

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From what he could tell, the Gods had already pinpointed particular people to rule certain regions..... so, even if the people were in need of a ruler, he had no right to step in no more, as he was only there to help the chosen ruler ascend the throne.

And that was it!!!

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'Vrrmmmm!!'

The sounds of cars driving along an uneven road, could be heard making their way towards Riverdale city.

As they drove..... several birds along the trees, as well as in the path soon hurried away while gawking at them endlessly.

Landon had left Baymard with several of his personal guards in 6 Baymard Jeep Wranglers.

The forest all around them looked vibrant and green, as the summer sun gently graced their leaves.

The sun was high up in the sky.... and one could see several birds all following an ancient path through the sky in a beautiful pyramid array.

No bird overlapped another, as they flew swiftly across the sky.

The butterflies fluttered about merrily, as they danced about the forest trails.

It was indeed summer.

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'Vrrmmmm!!!!'

The men drove at a moderate pace, as the road was now filled with carriages and pedestrians as well.

He should know that since it was his duty to take care of Riverdale city..... it was only natural for him to tar the roads leading up to there.

So all this time, the workers had been tarring the roads steadily.

They would select a particular area to work on first, tar one lane, before looking at the other lanes.

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In this era, roads leading to major cities were usually wide, so as to accommodate leaving armies or incoming knights of massive numbers.

So the roads were large enough to make 4 lanes on them, as well as pedestrian sidewalks on both sides.

Of course at the center of the road, Landon had opted for them to put an elevated divider there as well.

This way, people would really distinguish between the roads that went toward Baynard... and those that left Baynard.

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Also, this divider was a good idea for pedestrians who wanted to cross the line roads as well.... as there would be no traffic lights out here.

Anyway, for now.... some 2/7 of the road had been tarred.

So the workers still had a long way to go, since the contracted work was supposed to be done by October 1st... that was in 3 months time.

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As for the people that Landon and his men kept seeing on the roads.... these people were most likely from riverdale city, as news of Alec's decision hadn't truly reached the ears of everyone in the Western territory yet.

Even though these people were scared of Alec's wrath.... it was close to 2 months now, since Landon had taken over the city.

And so far, the people had seen the great changes that this new leader of theirs had implemented in Riverdale city.

Firstly, he dealt with the corrupt nobles, made new laws against slavery, started constructing sturdy wooden buildings for them, and so much more.

This new leader of theirs was on their side.... rather than the side of those rich nobles.

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Of course most of them still feared Alec's wrath, but what truly made them bite the bullet and take a chance..... was when they saw the goods from Baymard, and well as hear about the learning opportunities, jobs and worker pay there.

In their minds, even if Alec killed them... if they could send their children there for better education and a chance to have a better future, then it would all be worth it.

Hence they decided to have a leap of faith and go to Baymard themselves.

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And so with that decision in mind, the first group of peasants nervously went to Baymard a while back..... and when they returned, they were all smiles and full of vigor.

They helped to spread the tale of Baymard even more, and soon... more people eventually went there and the rest was history.

They had learnt that Baymard was so rich that it used glass to make unique buildings that were as tall as a hill.

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To them, all these screamed out power, and what the people wanted.... was a guarantee that even if Alec tried to attack them, they would be safe no matter what.

In addition to that, they truly felt safe when they saw the number of men diligently protecting Riverdale city day and night.

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These men weren't like the lazy knights that they knew of.

These men never talked down at them, bullied them or even got distracted for a second.

These men focused on their jobs, and had even helped them up once in a while.

And to further secure Baymard's rich and powerful status, every Sunday afternoon about 2 P.M... several massive godly carriages (buses), would arrive at Riverdale city's gate.

Of course during that time, the soldiers, guards and government officials would switch places with the next batch that had just arrived.

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One should know that these people had never seen buses in their lives... so during that time frame, many of them would rush over to the gate and watch everything as if it were a show.

They truly wanted to know how the inside of those buses looked like.

And when the Baymard workers also came over to build wooden homes with their machines during the day time, the perimeters of the construction sites were always filled with those who were either off from work or were at break.

So seeing all these things who the heck cared about Alce's wrath again?

To hell with your wrath!!!

Who the heck wanted him as their king?

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In fact, they had even held several meetings amongst themselves... as they had thought about changing the city's name and abandoning Arcadina on multiple occasions.

They felt like times had changed, and it was time for them to embrace this new leader as theirs.

He was all the people talked about now.

And so with all that in mind, on a daily basis..... one could see hundreds of citizens moving back and forth between both cities.

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As Landon and his men drove by, several people kept waving at them excitedly.

"Look! Look! those godly carriages are passing by!!"

"Wahhh!!!..... no matter how many times I see it, it still gets me every time."

"Do you think that they would be mad at us waving towards them?"

"Ehh?"

Look! Look!.... the glass thing (window) is rolling down.

Who could it be?"

"Ahh!!.... it's his majesty Landon.

Look!... he's waving at me!!!"

"How is it towards you?

Can't you see that he's waving at me instead?"

"What do you know old man?..... it was clearly for me and not you alright?"

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And so as Landon drove away with his squad..... several people on foot and in their carriages, all turned towards his direction in hopes of spotting God Landon.

Now, he was a bonafide God!!!!

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The journey was a fast one.... as within the next 40 minutes, they had already arrived at Riverdale city.

It could've been a 30 minutes car ride , but due to the majority of the road being un-tarred and bumpy.... they had used up an additional 10 minutes just to get to the city.

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Landon quickly got out of his car and headed towards the city lord's estate at the furthest part of the city.

This estate was where all the guards, government workers and others from Baymard slept when they spent their weekly shifts here.

He was going to stay here for 3 whole days.... so he needed to check-in with his guards as well.

Of course one of his personal secretaries was there with him too.

And after everyone had finally taken up rooms within the estate, Landon and his team quickly headed out to check on the city's overall progress rate.

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"Good afternoon your majesty!"

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As Landon and his group passed by, several citizens quickly stopped what they were doing and gave him warm greetings in return.

They had heard of his friendliness and openness from those who had previously greeted him everytime he came into the city.

So the people were excited, and somewhat anxious to greet 'God Landon' as well.

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"Oh my God!!!!.... He just said good morning to us back!" Said one of the citizens in a whispery tone.

"Ahh!... my clothes accidentally touched his majesty's own when I was making a turn over there.

That's it!!... I'm never washing these again!!"

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Landon and his men walked for another 20 minutes, before they arrived at one of the empty estates within the city.

One had to know that since word hadn't reached Roverdale city about Alec's decision.... most of the nobles were terrified, and left the city once they heard that Landon would take over it.

For them, Alec would definitely send troops to wage a war and reclaim the land back.

So why wait here for death?

After all during this war, anyone could die or get caught in a crossfire... so why risk it?

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With all that in mind, they had quickly packed up their goods, as well as their soldiers..... and headed out towards other cities as well.

In their minds, they would either go to their Private bases..... or seek out their friends or families for shelter, while they sent letters to Alex explaining the situation there.

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In addition to these reasons, after reading some of the new rules implemented within the city... many of them felt it all too preposterous.

How could a city function without slaves?

Who would do all their home chores?

And why do they have to pay their slaves that much?

Didn't they just have to give the slaves a little food, water, a roof over their heads and 50 copper coins?

So how did it suddenly increase so much?

And what the heck was that stupid equality rule?

To make matters worse... they even saw a 'widow plan' there somewhere that stated that the government would give widows, single pregnant women and orphans a substantial amount of support.

Of course for them, this was a terrible idea!!!

What if they wives killed them just so tagged they could be receiving a steady monthly pay grade?

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In short, many of them were very unsettled with many of these new rules.... and so they quickly made up their minds to leave the city A.S.A.P!!

And before they left, Landon had asked some of them if they were sure that they would never come back, because he wanted to use some of their estates as government buildings..... as we as a hospital and an orphanage.

So with all that said, since these nobles had given him their stone estates just like that... wouldn't it be a good idea to use them for his causes?

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"Macmillan.... this is the last week of June.

Please run the stats for this month... in comparison to when we took over in May." Landon asked, while calmly stepping into his Riverdale office within the government estate.

'Flip! Flip! Flip! Flip!'

MacMillan quickly flipped through all 7 files that he had on hand..... until he spotted the 'Summary Report' file.

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"Your majesty, we'll start from page 2 figure 1.

Within this month, the death rate alone has decreased by a substantial amount.

Before we took over, 38% of children under the ages of 7 died from basic things like fevers and even colds.

But With the help the help of our drugs and nurses who come here weekly.... several if the children have been able to keep their lives so far.

So now, the total amount of children under the age of 7 that died.... fell from 38% to 31%.

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Of course your majesty, many still died due to lateness in treatment... but with time, if we can step in just before the children were at heaven's doors, then we should still be able to decrease the death rate substantially.

As for the case with pregnant women..... the death rate decreased from 42% to 35%.

Blah...blah...blah...blah....blah)"

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As Government official Macmillan continued his thorough statistical presentation.... Landon listened on carefully, as he wanted to see if they were able to hit their target for this month alone.

For him, the only death that was acceptable was that of a natural cause.... like old age.

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Looking at the report, Landon could see 8 main undermining causes of death on the pie charts.

The first was death due to plagues and illnesses.

One should know that even back on earth during the medieval times, common illnesses like cholera, fever, as well as plagues... took 1/3 of a City's population yearly.

Heck!.. even food poisoning took out a massive number of the population as well.

But, the people also gave birth like pigs... which kinda made up for these deaths, as the women were taught that their life mission was to give heirs to their husbands and nothing more.

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Anyway... now, Landon given the people of Riverdale their own passports as well.

And when they got to the hospitals in Baymard..... they would have 20% of their medical fees waived as well.

And coupled with the fact that most of the drugs like Advil and Tylenol were cheap... the people didn't mind buying them at all as they had seen what wonders these drugs had.

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These people died of fevers, chickenpox, malnutrition, whooping cough, measles and many more.

So how would they not be impressed by these drugs?

Long story short.... the death rate due to ordinary illnesses had dropped down substantially within these past 2 months.

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Moving on, the other main causes of death were:

- Death from Journeying

- Famine
- Childbirth
- Bad weather
- Wars/ fights within the city/ \u0026 everything violence
- Hunting
- Sudden death from body's breakdown... be it old age or overworking oneself.

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As Landon listened on, he quickly went on to re-check what the system required for Riverdale again.

One of his main tasks concerned with taking over Riverdale city, was to decrease the death rate here ... as well as ensure that the people lived comfortably without building advanced technological items here.

He could use his heavy machines to make warm wooden 2-storey homes for them.

But he couldn't give them electricity and so on.

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"So... right now, what's the total population"

"Your majesty.... it's at 29, 837."

"Hmhm... not bad.

Keep up the good job.

Your presentation was excellent."

"Thank you your majesty!!" Macmillan said excitedly.

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Following his meeting with Maxmillan, Landon soon began his tour of the entire city.

He stopped by the construction sites first, as he wanted to see how many people's homes were still currently under construction.

The budget for all these works, as well as the pay for all the workers on duty here. .. all came from his personal pocket, and those of the Baymardians.

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In short, the offerings that were given after each church sermon... were strictly meant to help the poor and the needy.

Hence a portion of it had been used as 'charity' um situations like this towards the needy.

And in addition to that, Landon had also donated some of his money towards these projects here as well.

With how much he had gained from raiding Nopline's camps... one could say that Landon was a baller at this point.

So acting like all those celebrities who donated 10 million to charity, was no real issue for him at all.

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For the next 3 days, Landon spent his time looking at Riverdale's overall improvement status.

Of course following that he later headed back to Baymard and drew up new plans for Riverdale city during the month of July and August.

And while all this was happening, the entire Baymard was getting ready to have an official Royal wedding.

Time had passed on again, and just like that..... they had already entered the 2nd week of July.

It was time for mother Kim and Lucius to officially get married.

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'Ding!'

'Host..... the Ghostly Prince is here.'

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Chapter 354 Old Friends

'Host..... the Ghostly Prince is here.'

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Landon almost fell off his seat when he heard the system's announcement.

Great!... he was finally here!!

After months of searching and waiting for this dude to pop up, finally..... he could now be at ease.

For him to complete his mission, didn't he have to meet the damn ghostly prince in the first place.... before getting him to ascend the throne.

So of course having him deliver himself right at Landon's doorstep definitely made things easier ten times over.

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"System... When did he arrive?"

"Can you show me where he is right now?" Landon asked excitedly.

"Answering to host..... he arrived 6 hours ago, and is current within the empire as we speak."

"So why didn't you inform me when he had just arrived?"

"Answering to host..... the system was trying to be what humans would describe as 'caring'.

The system saw that the host was deeply engrossed in his work and chose to tell the host about it later.

The system is showing its caring side towards the host."

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Landon didn't know whether he should laugh or cry at his own situation.

He truly felt like wrestling the system to death.

Now was the time that it chose to be caring towards him?

What about all the sudden missions that it had been springing up on him recently?

Where was its caring attitude then?

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How the heck would one find a system like his?

Forget it, forget it..... sigh..... there was no use crying over spilled milk now.

The most important thing was that the Ghostly prince had finally arrived at Baymard.

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"Fine..... you say he arrived 6 hours ago right?"

Okay.... then just show me where he is on the monitors instead."

"Sorry Host... but this system is not permitted to show you what the Ghostly Prince looks like.... So I can't show you what he's up to with the monitors."

The system said without a hint of emotions in its voice.

"Then how do I know that it's him?"

Do you know how many people request to see me on a daily basis, and how many people I have to turn down from all that?

What if I accidentally turn down an audience with him instead?"

"Then that'll be the host's problem."

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Landon threaded his fingers in his hair helplessly, as he quickly tried to calm his raging nerves.

If he just bursts out angrily now... wouldn't the people around him think that he was mad?

One should know that he was currently sitting in the royal limo, alongside his fiancée, Grace, Little Momo, little Linda and Mother Winnie.

Right now, it was just 2 P.M.

It was time for the actual royal wedding to commence.

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Of course before this event.... they had already held activities for entire week, to signify and show Mither Kim and Lucius' dedication towards the empire and it's people.

Currently, he was with the rest of the royals... as they made their way toward the wedding venue.

So if he just started raging mad, then wouldn't they think that he had finally lost it?

This was the system's plan wasn't it!!

Tsk!.... well it wouldn't work!... not on his watch.

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"So my almighty system..... how the heck am I supposed to narrow down my search for this Ghostly prince."

"Host..... Like this system had said earlier, use your intuition when accepting and rejecting requests and you should be fine.

This is the system's caring attitude toward you.

But of course if you use your intuitions and reject him, then the system can only say that it will be disappointed in you."

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Vrrrrmmmmmm!!!

The car speeded up towards District C, with Landon secretly sighing multiple times while leaning into his car seat.

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Within the Gracio-Dero 4 star hotel in District C..... William and his men were currently sitting within their hotel rooms in shock at what they had just witnessed on their way here.

As for why they had arrived 2 weeks earlier than the rest of the royal family members..... that was because they took the shortest, but the most dangerous road to get here.

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And in addition to that..... they had been travelling nonstop while their men took turns to switch shifts throughout their journey.

Hence they were way ahead of the rest in that aspect.

From the Landport to the cars, buses, buildings, food and everything else... they dared say that here really wasn't any other place in the world that could compare with Baymard right now.

This place was heaven!!

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One should know that William never lost his composure no matter what!... But when he arrived, he had totally lost it for a while.

Seeing was truly believing.

Even though his men had told him of these things already.... seeing them for himself made him feel like they were suddenly bad at describing things.

How come they didn't truly explain how sitting in one of those buses felt like?

How come they didn't really talk to him about the amazing customer service here?

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William felt like it was all a dream... as he stood over his balcony window in a daze, while looking at the busy streets of baymard, as well as the high-rise buildings around him.

The people smiled and went about their days merrily.... as if there was nothing in this world that could stop their shine.

The entire place was so futuristic to him, tagt he almost thought that he had traveled to another world instead.

But one of the best things about the place was it's people.

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When he was at the Landport, as well as on his way to his hotel... He had realised that no matter what one's background was, whether rich or poor..... the staff here all treated people like kings when attending to them.

It was truly an eye-opener for William.... as he secretly made a mental note to instill such values when he took over Arcadina.

Of course these were just one of the good qualities and strengths about Baymard that he had quickly noticed.

The other thing was their technology.

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When they had given him and his men keys to their rooms and led them in, they all felt like all this was somewhat impossible to believe.

How did clean water suddenly appear just from turning a metal stick whenever they wanted?

Even the lights didn't need fire to light them up..... they used something called lightbulbs.

There was another thing called the toilet... which he thought was really ingenious.

No! No! No! No!

The real ingenious thing was the toilet paper.

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It felt so soft against his but compared to sponges, grass or even rags.

And one shouldn't forget about the fact that the room could get hot or cold if he chose to make it so.

In short, there were just too many good things within Baynard..... as well as too many secrets here, that could lead one to develop the temptation of dreaming about conquering the place if they were not careful.

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He called it a dream because without a doubt.... he truly believed that for Baynard to open its doors to all..... that meant that it had enough power to protect itself for the time being.

From seeing the bank, to witnessing several other miracles within this empire... William couldn't help but sigh inwardly.

It looked like he was worried for nothing.

There was no way in hell this cousin of his would be bullied by Alec.

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"Alright!... you all should stop joking around.

I want your honest opinions..... Collins you go first."

"Young master.... this cousin of yours really hides too deep!!!!

What the hell?!!!" exclaimed Collins excitedly, as he sat up from the cozy bed.

"Young master!

For the first time... I agree with Collins on this one.

But the real issue here young master.... is how we are going to see him.

Young master, as per your instructions... I did a little bit of digging on the matter, and I can guarantee that it's near impossible for anyone to see the king without taking permission.

And unlike Arcadina's palace that one could enter using disguises..... with this one, they thoroughly checked one's background and confirmed it with what they knew of, before one could use that route." Replied McCain, who was busy working down the food sent up by the staff.

"And that's not all young master.....

From my own research.... we only have 2 main shots at seeing him young master.

We can either do so, by accidentally bumping into him around Baynard.

But that route would also be near impossible to do.... since it wouldnt be easy to bump into a king anyway.

So young master, our final option would be to put in a formal request to see him.

Apparently, even if it were a king from another empire.... they too had to put in any sort of request before seeking his majesty Landon..... unless he was already expecting them from the get-go.

Young master... I suggest that we put in a request to see Princess Lucy instead.

She would definitely remember you after all this time." Collins said seriously.

"I agree young master.... plus she's less busy compared to his majesty Landon, so we would have a better chance going through her than any other person."

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William calmly sat down and poured himself a glass of Dom Perignon, before turning towards his men.

"Hmmm... indeed!!

It's been a long time since I saw those 2 friends of mine.

Alright!.... we'll put a request later on toady.

But for now.... how can we miss auntie's wedding just like that?"

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And just as the decision was made.... they soon heard a gentle knock on their door.

'Knock! Knock! Knock! Knock!'

Who could it be?

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Chapter 355 Strange Feelings

'Knock! Knock! Knock! Knock!'

"Sirs, this is room service."

'Knock! Knock! Knock! Knock!'

'Room service.'

As soon as they heard who it was... Collins quickly went towards the door vigilantly.

Even though they had been told about the responsibilities of room service staffers..... since this was a thoroughly new experience for them, they still felt like being vigilant at all times.

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'Clack!'

Collins opened the door and was greeted by a 26 year old man who was dressed in one of the hotel staff's uniforms.

"Sirs... there's a woman downstairs who says she's a friend of yours.

Her name is Miss Paula Syers.

She has deep brown hair, green eyes, and is about yay tall.

Sirs... do you all know this woman?

And if so, would you like for her to wait downstairs for you all?..... or for her to come up instead."

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Hearing this, the men all turned to look at their leader.... who had suddenly let out a very charming smile at the mention of that woman.

And who was she?

Well... she was someone that they had just met today!

Long story short, when they had arrived earlier.... William's acted as if he were weak and sickly, while the rest acted as they normally do.

And when they had gotten into the Landport.... someone accidentally bumped into William.

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Typically, he wouldn't have fallen from such a weak nudge, but for his cover to seem realistic, he had to play the part out right.

But just as his body was about to hit the floor, this stunning guard lady quickly caught him and even handled him princess style.

He didn't even know where her strength came from, as her body was lean and somewhat tiny.

Buy yet here she was, carrying him as if it were nothing.

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His retainers tried their best to hold in their laughters, as they watched their ever strong master being carried away as if he were a toddler.

He secretly shot them glares, while still pretending to be sickly.

But even though he did all that.... for some reason, he wasn't annoyed or disgusted by this woman... unlike the others he had met across Arcadina.

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In truth, he had never seen a woman who was as strong as a man.... or who could also fight like a man.

And judging from her quick reflexes and body language..... one would truly be a newbie to look down at such a woman.

So seeing this beauty who presented herself like this in front of him.... his curiosity was piqued.

Her soft voice and gorgeous face, made his heart beat loudly for some reason.

Was this what they called love at first sight?

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At first, William thought that she might be one of the few women in Baymard who were allowed to take on such roles.

But to his surprise, the ratio of men and women doing these sorts of jobs.... were high with a 58: 42 ratio percentage, with 42% of them representing women.

Who would've thought that it could be so?

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Just thinking about Miss Paula, made William's heart go all mushy with warmth.

What was this feeling?

It was definitely somewhat similar to what he had for his parents, family and men..... but at the same time, it was also very different as well.

He remembered what he had previously felt very distinctively.

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In his mind, with his first impression of her.... she was very strong, overly excited and merry.... as well as extremely beautiful.

Her smile took every ounce of breath away from his lungs, when she looked at him.

And for some unknown reason, his little man down there had almost raised up for the first time in his entire life.

What the hell was going on with his body?

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The more he thought about her, the more his body felt.

He felt like he longed to see this woman daily..... but he couldn't help but wonder whether this was what they called lust rather than love.

He felt like he needed more time to figure these strange emotions out..... and the first step would be to get to know this strange woman called Paula.

After all, if he did find out that he truly loved her, then he would do everything in his power to make her his queen.

So before he could ever confess anything towards her, he had to first take up the mantle as ruler of Arcadina.

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Collins and McCain had pale ghastly faces, as they looked at their master in shock.

They had never EVER seen their master make such a lovey-dovey face before..... and in truth, it really scared them shitless.

What the hell?

Where was their ruthless, smart and stoic master?

Who was this person that they were seeing?

Their eyeballs almost popped out and rolled on the floor, as they took in all of William's expressions.

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"Quickly! Quickly! Quickly!

Where are the new clothes that you bought today?

And what about that toothbrush thingy?

Ahh..... My good man, can you tell miss Paula to come up instead?

And ohh.... can you also send a meal for 4 up here immediately?

Collins... McCain.... you keep Miss Paula busy in the sitting room when she arrives.

If she gets bored or gets annoyed..... hehehehe.... I'll send you to the 'Twiply Pit' when we return."

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Everyone in the room watched the flustered William in shock.

No!!!

This wasn't their master but a substitute.

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As they remembered what punishment they would receive if they didn't make miss Paula happy.... they couldn't help but shiver uncontrollably.

They'd rather kill themselves that go through that hellish training arena again.

And so, while William scurried away to the bathroom to have his bath... the duo retainers quickly went to the living room within their hotel suite to prepare for Miss Paula.

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Soon, there was a knock on their door again... and in came the stunning Paula.

"Ahhh.... how are you all enjoying Baymard so far?"

"Miss Paula.... it's amazing!!" Collins said excitedly.

"Everything is great Miss!!" McCain added while smiling broadly.

"That's good to hear.

Anyway.... I've brought the drugs for your little brother's headaches just as promised.

Here they are..... make sure that he takes 2 pills every morning, and another 2 every night.

If you want him to be well, make sure that he takes them no matter what!!

Well then, I better get going.

It was nice meeting you all again." Paula said while stuffing the drugs into Collins' hands.

And with that, she immediately turned around and walked towards the door again.

"Wait!!" Collins and McCain exclaimed anxiously.

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Of course the duo panicked... as they knew that if she left just like that, their master would literally chew off their heads when he came out of the room.

"Ermm Miss Paula..... since you're our first friend here, we would feel bad if you just left like that.

So would you mind staying for a bit while we offer you anything here?" Collins said, while truly to plead with his wide puppy dog eyes.

"Yeah Miss.... Collins is right.

In truth, we had already ordered food just for you... so please can you stay just for a while longer?

Not to talk of the fact that you had gotten these medications for our little brother here.

So how else are we supposed to express our gratitude towards you if you leave us just like that?" McCain added as well pitifully.

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Paula helplessly looked at the men before her and sighed.

Well, they were probably grateful for her hell earlier... so what more could she say?

Luckily... she had just got off work not too long ago, so she was as free as a bird now.

"Fine!.... but I wouldn't be staying for long, since I plan to attend Queen Mother Kim's wedding ceremony today." Paula said, while pouting at them too.

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A few minutes later, William exited the room and immediately pretended to be sick and in need of help.

And just like he had expected, when room service had brought their meal up.... Paula continuously fed the pitiful William who was looking at her with teary eyes.

For her, she was used to doing these sort of things as she had taken care of her own sick comrades, as well as other sick people too.

For her, there was nothing wrong with what she was doing, since things like first aid and healthcare were taught to all the guards, soldiers and law enforcement officers here.

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She fed him diligently, and at times, her hands would unintentionally caress William's face unknowingly.

These small actions made William his heart jumpy from excitement.

As this was going on, his retainers finally couldn't take it any longer.... and chose to excuse themselves under the pretense of getting ready for the wedding.

How could their master be so shameless?

Today... they had finally understood the famous saying that a man could change into a completely different person just for the woman he wanted.

Bruh!!

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Time passed by swiftly, and when they were all ready... they all got into Paula's jeep and headed towards the wedding Avenue.

Of course while in the car, they excitedly wore their seatbelts while taking everything about the car design in.

So this was what it felt like to drive these cars rather than buses?

The window was winded down, and the cool breeze made them feel very refreshed.

And as they passed through the busy streets, they quickly marvelled at the genius streetlight designs, road signs and so on.

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When one was in a bus, they wouldn't really see all these things properly.... but getting into a private car was an entirely different experience altogether.

In short, this whole thing made them want to drive so badly.

But when they heard that only Baymardians and citizens from treaty-based empires could drive..... they couldn't help but sigh all the more.

But of course after Paula promised to take them for something called a go-kart racing.... their faces immediately lit up with excitement.

Perfect!

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And so, their entire journey was filled with Paula explaining all the fun activities that one could do around Baymard.

As the men listened, they quickly made up their minds to enjoy most of these activities before Alec and his squad arrived.

William smiled slightly, when he thought about Alec.

Hehehe..... soon, the real drama would begin.

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'Mumble! Mumble! Mumble! Mumble!'

'Woooooow!'

'Clap!!!!'

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From amidst a massive crowd, one could hear a series of excited screams and praises coming all angles.

The people had all gathered around the massive church which had a massive open space at the front.

It was designed to be somewhat similar to the Vatican in Rome.... even though it was smaller.

One could see people poking heads left and right..... as well as merrily clapping and exclaiming excitedly, as they watched the scene before them.

Today, their Queen Mother would finally marry one of the greatest defenders in Baymard.

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The people went wild with excitement, as they watched numerous guests arrive at the scene.

"I'm Emma Lackheart live at the Wembley Square Cathedral with my co-host Melvin Cooper.... and this is BBC Radio 1!

On today's local news... our beloved Queen Mother and our most esteemed defender, are soon to tie the knot any moment from now.

It is indeed a glorious occasion." Said Emma, who was currently standing in front of her team... who did their best to broadcast these radio wave signals throughout Baymard.

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Even though they didn't have T.V's yet, it was still good for such live news to be broadcasted out on the radios.

That way, those in the hospitals, Landports and other workstations who couldn't make it.... wouldn't entirely miss out on today's news.

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"You're right Emma..... today is a magnificent day for us all.

Ehh?

Ahhhh!!... it looks like more guests have arrived at the Wembley Square Cathedral." Co-host Melvin said excitedly, as he turned around to have a good view at those who were walking towards the massive Cathedral.

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Well.... one could say that they had arranged the place to be extremely spacious just like those in the U.K.

The guests would arrive and walk certain distances, just like they did during Prince Harry and Meghan Markle's wedding back on earth.... or Prince William's own.

And as they walked, the crowd would cheer loudly and wave their little Baymardian flags high up into the air.... while waving at these famous Baymardian celebrities.

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They also had handmade sign boards that said things like: 'We love you teacher Kim', 'Long Live Queen Mother Kim', 'May The heaven's bless you Protector Lucius', 'Thank you for rescuing me Protector Lucius... and may you find your true happiness after today.'....

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The walk through that the guests had to take towards the Cathedral's door, was as wide as a 5-lane road... and took at least 17 minutes for the guests to walk, as if they were walking towards Buckingham palace instead.

And at each side of this massive pathway... one would find 2 feet tall fences that separated the massive lawns from the walkthrough.

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There were also several guards standing around various points along the massive pavements.

And behind these guards were the excited crowd that stood on those lawns.

They screamed excitedly, jumped about merrily, and even tried to mimic how the incoming guests walked..... as they thought that it was all cool and glamorous.

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In short, the lawns were packed and filled to the brim.

And those who weren't lucky enough to stand in those areas.... could only stand alongside the roads before that and watch how several cars belonging to these esteemed guests pulled drive in and pulled up instead.

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'Whooooo!!!'

'Cheeeerrrrrrr!!!'

As the crowd continued screaming merrily, the radio hosts kept doing their jobs diligently.

"Oh my Baymard biscuits!!..... is that Chief Supervisor Waldo Zendier from the Food industry?"

"By our ancestors... I think you're right!!

That's him and his lovely wife Crystilla Zendier.

Did you know?.... she is also one of the most popular chefs as well.

I hear that she's a beast in the kitchen when she takes over."

"Hmhm.... I heard of her amazing talents as well.

But do you see her outfit?

Her blue hair matches her glorious emerald top, that seems to give out a certain shine whenever she moves.

How outstanding!!"

And let's not forget about her beautiful green colored hairpins that were as long as chopsticks.

Ahhh..... do you see how magnificent those hairpins are?

They have massive jade stones at one end, as well as lace netting attached to them.

Come on!!!

The way the netting falls over her face and hangs just above her eyes... gives her an even more alluring charm to her dark brown eyes.

Even though she's a mother of 3.... one can't help to look at her stunning appearance.

How breathtaking!!" Emma said excitedly.

"Hmhm... I agree.

And did you notice that most guests who had previously arrived also had their own unique hairpin design as well?"

"Of course!

From our sources, this massive hairpin trend is now one of our proudest Baymardian cultural looks.

In fact,..... there are more than 7 different meanings behind these hairpins.

Apparantly... it could symbolize transition from childhood to adulthood, Romance and many more.

I was informed that articles about the trends were just published last week..... and BBC station 3 also has a segment coming up next week to further explain its significance.

Just know that this trend would be used for many years to come."

"Ahh... makes sense now.

Well... all I can say is that I love it all!!

So far, we've seen hairpins that have lace attached to them as if they were hats... as well as hairpins that had beautiful ribbons at their ends, and ordinary hairpins golden or silver plated hairpins that have rare gemstones on them.

And of course all of them have different shapes and designs as well... like Overseer Wendy who had a gold plated hairpin, that also had a moon crested design at its ends.

And.... eh??

Ahh!!... look over there!

Oh my heavens!.... we have Painting royalty here today.

Isn't that the famous Baymardian painter, sir John Rigoro?"

"Ahh... look over there!!

It's Sir. Crumbleton the famous comedian, who always looks like he's in a rush... but like his royalty majesty Landon always says: I guess that's what makes him a 'jolly old fellow'.

This guy..... even at a royal wedding, why does he still looks like he had just tumbled out of bed not too long ago?"

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And so just like that, the radio hosts did their best to capture all spectacular moments for their listeners back at home.

People laughed and smiled as they listened to their animated reviews... while keenly listening in on their every word.

Even the people on the fields had also brought in their radios as well.... as they wanted to watch while listening to what the hosts had to say.

The whole ordeal was extremely entertaining for them.

It was also very informative as well, as it further explained certain cultural things to the people as well.

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Soon all the guests had arrived, as they were told the time frame during which they could arrive before the doors of the cathedral would be shut tight.

And just then..... the radio host crew who had their Walkie talkies with them, had just gotten news that the bride's entourage was seen driving down the long crowd filled Wembley road not too long ago.

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There were 5 cars in total... with the bride sitting with 2 page boys in the 3rd one.

And when they were somewhat close to the Cathedral, more than 100 men from heaven knows were... quickly brought in several red carpets and rolled them up until they reached the Cathedral's floor.

They did this all in just 11 minutes.

And by the time the cars stopped, everything was set for the bride to make her grand entrance.

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After designing such a beautiful wedding gown for mother Kim.... how could Landon not allow anyone else to see it?

Even though the entire crowd couldn't go in.... he still wanted some of them to see how beautiful the dress looked.

This in itself was great Publicity.

The era of olden wedding gowns would soon come to an end with this one.... and that he was sure of.

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Once the cars stopped, several guards quickly rushed forward to help mother kim step out.

Needless to say, when she made her grand appearance.... everyone else sucked in their breaths, while looking at the stunning wedding dress before them.

Looking at the dress.... they immediately knew that these sort of wedding gowns would soon be the new 'it' from now on.

And even some women who had previously gotten married not too long ago, seemed to curse themselves for their impatience.

Why didn't they wait until now, so that they too could've also worn such glamorous gowns as well?

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Mother Kim's gowns had a lace hugging figure design that flared only at the bottom.

And her immaculate white veil that perfectly covered her face... had a ridiculously long train at its back, which was currently being held by the two 7 year old bell boys.

Her posture, her walk and the well detailed designs in the gowns made everyone feel like giving a slight bow when she passed them by.

The radio hosts also talked excitedly, as they tried to describe exactly what they were seeing to those at home as well.

It was truly a stunning sight to behold.

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Soon the bride was in the cathedral and the show went on as planned.

The rings got exchanged, the vows were made..... and when it was time for Lucius to kiss his bride.

He unveiled her nervously and almost

had a heart attack in the process.

God she was beautiful!!

Looking at her blushing face, he truly felt like the luckiest man in Hertfilia right now.

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Needless to say, when he had to kiss her briefly on stage..... they both turned as red as a pumpkin, and everyone within the Cathedral giggled as they watched in amusement.

Heck!... even those outside and those at home who were listening in, laughed and smiled as well.

Ahh... love!!

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The ceremony ended with Lucius and mother Kim getting into an open top car.

They waved to the crowd, as they drove away happily.

And at the back of the car, what really made people laugh and smile... .. was the ridiculous sign that said: 'Just got married at it's back.

They as ordinary people started doing this due to Landon's influence.... but who would've known that even the royals would join in on doing such things as well.

Somehow.... it reminded them of how humble their leaders were.

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The people clapped and wished them well, as they watched the couple wave, and hold each others hands lovingly.

The entire scene made many of the people look at their partners dotingly as well.

And subconsciously, William who had been within the crowd this entire time.... also turned towards Paula too.

If she was truly the one, then he would give her an even grander wedding!!

Of course that was after he bought the wedding gowns, cars and everything else from Baymard.

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And with that, the wedding was finally over... and now Lucius and Mother Kim were officially married.

Landon smiled sweetly, as he remembered how happy his mother seemed from it all.

Hehehehe..... he truly wanted to see how Alec would react when he found out about this whole ordeal.

But first... he had to find that damn Ghostly Prince God-dammit!!!

Where the hell was he at?

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Chapter 357 Royal Visitors

No!... seriously, where was that dude?

Immediately after the wedding, Landon began approving several requests for meeting him..... and so far, the system hadn't confirmed if those people were the Ghostly Prince or not.

It had said that once Landon sees the Ghostly prince face to face.... only then it would alert him if his guess was right or wrong.

But none of the people he had seen were the so-called Ghostly Prince.

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At this point, Landon was starting to believe that this whole thing was a hoax made up by this sadist system.

Because apart from accepting all these requests.... he had also glued his face onto the system's monitors, as he tried to skim through each street daily.

But sadly, all his efforts had bore no fruits when it concerned this matter.

Ughhhh!!.... why the hell was this dude wasting so much time just to pop up?

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He massaged his temples while closing his eyes tightly.

The whole thing was giving him a massive headache.

One had to know that it's been 3 days since Mother Kim and Lucius went for their honeymoon.

So he literally had to complete some of Lucius' workload in both the Army and the police headquarters..... with the help of several others of course.

Hence he was swamped with official affairs, Lucius's affairs and the system's missions as well.

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'Knock! Knock! Knock!'

Landon heard gentle knocking sounds coming from his office door, and swiftly opened his eyes and adjusted himself.

"Yes... Come in!"

'Catchaaahhh!!'

A 20-something year old man gently opened the door, as if the door was some sort of baby.

The man was one of Landon's secretaries.... who also had his own office just before Landon's own.

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With the introduction of secretaries in baynard... Landon had to adjust his office to fit the ordinary office setup back on earth.

So of course the man's office would be just before Landon's own.

"Your majesty.... one of Princess Lucy's secretaries has just informed me that there is a special guest at the Royal Crimson garden.

She specifically said that this person was someone who you knew quite well when your were in Arcadina."

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Someone he knew when he was in Arcadina?

For sure.... Alec and the other nobles hadn't arrived yet, so who was this person that he was supposed to know so well?

Landon quickly decided to put a halt in his search for the Ghostly Prince and head on over to the Royal Crimson garden to see this strange visitor.

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As Landon approached the garden, he could hear several familiar voices boasting about their numerous heroism tales.... which in his opinion, NEVER happened.

Yup!... the 3 musketeers were at it again.

"Hmmp!

You little brats!!.... how can you all not believe us?" Old man Hermon asked while animatedly opening his eyes widely, as he brought his face closer to the visitors.

"You little brats really don't know who he is?

When he was 12 years old... he could already stop an arrow with just his pinky finger.

And when he was 13, he could carry more than 3 carriages on his back all at once!" Paitus said, while pointing at old man Willow, who was still doing muscle poses for the guests.

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As for the guests, how could they buy into these absurd stories?

Who the hell could carry 3 carriages on their backs?

And how about the story about old man Willow fighting an army of 1,000 all on his own?

Please!!... they weren't 3 year old kids alright?

Heck!... even kids within that age bracket would think twice before believing such ridiculous tales.

How could these men lie so confidently?

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"Bahh!... you little brats don't know a real hero when you see one.

You better take his..... ermm.... what did that Landon kid call it again?

Ahh yes!!.... you better take his autograph now before you miss out on this grand opportunity." Paitus said, while rubbing his hands craftily at them.

"Yes, he's right!!

I know you all want hero Willow's autograph..... so we'll give them to you at a discounted rate.

Typically..... a single autograph is 20 BAYs (=20 copper coins).

But since you're princess Lucy's friends.... then I'll give it to you at 10 BAYs per autograph."

"But wait!... there's more!!

Today just so happens to be my birthday, so count yourselves lucky!

We'll give you all one of our special promotions.

Hermon... take it away!!"

"Its' simple and super cheap!

For 15 BAYs, you can get 2 signatures instead.

Isn't that great?!!!"

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As everyone listened to these 3 musketeers.... they had all concluded that these men were true Con Artists.

In the end, they ended up buying the autographs due to the pressure from these old men.

At this point, they just paid for them so that the old men would leave them alone in peace.

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"Ahh... kid... you're finally here!" Old man Willow yelled out.

Landon shook his head wryly, as he walked towards the group.

It was never a dull moment when these 3 were around.

Soon, everyone seated turned to face Landon.... and when Landon saw William, several beeps went out continuously within his head.

'Host.... congratulations on finally meeting the Ghostly Prince!'

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Landon and William looked at each other for a full minute.... before bursting out in laughter.

"Hahahhahah!!!"

"Runt!.... I thought you had forgotten me so soon!" William said, while giving Landon a bear hug.

"How can I, elder brother Willy?" Landon replied.

"You better do runt!

Ehh? ... Not bad... not bad at all.

It looks like you've finally succeeded in getting tkrothat cowardly attitude of yours.

Well done!!" Wiliam said while gauging Landon from head to toe.

He had changed so much that even William had to give him a second look just to confirm that it was indeed him.

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As for the present Landon, how could he not know who William was?

Based on the former Landon's memory..... William was one of the numerous palace 'fireplace boys, who was in charge of removing the coal, getting the firewood and everything else concerning all Fireplaces within the palace.

They made sure that the fire never went out during cold seasons, as they continuously stocked up the fireplaces hourly.

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It was indeed a tedious task... as no matter what time of day or night it was... the fireplace was always supposed to be kept lit.

What if the king wanted to leave his chambers and go to the dining room or any other room to think in the middle of the night?

The place had to be warm at all times for their masters... no matter what.

And these were just few of the tasks that William had done when he had previously worked within the palace.

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Back when Landon was still in the palace, even though Lucius was their head bodyguard at the time..... since he was still a very important figure within Arcadina, he had to leave for official business once in a while.

It should be known that he had previously volunteered to lower his status from Commander to bodyguard..... so as to stay by Mother Kim's side always.

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At the time, Lucius had done a great deed for Arcadina... and when he was asked about what he wanted as his reward, of course he requested for that.

But even so... amidst Alec's shock and anger, his request was approved on the spot since a king couldn't go back on his words in public like so.

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Anyway, even though his request got approved..... Alec had added 2 conditions attached to it.

Firstly..... he was still to take on missions for Arcadina when the time arose.

And secondly, he was to return 70% of the knights under him back to Alec.

So if he failed to comply with any of them... then the deal would definitely be off!

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And just like so... Lucius became their head bodyguard.

But whenever he wasn't around..... the maids and servants who were supposed to do minimal jobs like deliver food to them, wouldn't do so most of the time.

To many, they could bully them since they were unfavoured by Alec.

And coupled with the fact that Mother kim used to be a maid herself... how could the other palace maids not look down on them?

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Also, at that time.... Josh, Mark, Gary and Trey were also somewhat young and hadn't earned respect from anyone yet.

So they could only watch everything angrily as well.

Plus during the day time.... most of the young knights had to go to the knighthood Academy.

Hence the family of 3 was typically left alone with just 1 or 2 lower status bodyguards instead.

So In short, they hardly had any protection around them when Lucius was away.

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And during these times..... William had saved Landon and Lucy on multiple occasions whenever they ran into bullies.

And from then on, they soon became friends with each other as well.

Of course during these times, William used to sneak into the kitchen and steal food for them as well.

The trio bonded quite well from then on.... and one day, William just vanished into thin air out of the blue.

But now... he was standing before him in the flesh, and as the Ghostly Prince for that matter.

This life was truly an unpredictable one.

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"Hahahaha!

It has truly been far too Long.

Come .. let's go into my study."

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Chapter 358 More Royalty

In a blink of an eye, several more days had gone by ever since William's first meeting with Landon.

They had unwinded, drank like old comrades, and had even gone about sightseeing and participating in several fun activities around Baymard.

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In short, over the past few days..... the Baymardians had also seen William and Landon out together on multiple occasions.

All that they knew, was that William was their king's sworn brother who had helped him out in the past.

And coupled with the fact that William looked somewhat similar to Landon, they couldn't help but wonder if they were true brothers or distant cousins.

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Either way, they trusted their king's judgment.

So if their king didn't see this fellow as a threat, then they too wouldn't see him as one.

They were very much still simple minded people, who believed that their leader was always right... since in their eyes, he was equivalent to a messenger from the heavens.

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As for William, this was the first time that he had gone around without his mask before.

It was somewhat refreshing to say the least.

Plus it would look rather suspicious, and would also pull more attention to himself if he did wear one in here.

Firstly, when anyone arrived at the Landport, they had to show their faces no matter what.

And even when they later had to make their Visas at the office within District C... they still had to show their faces as well.

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In addition to all this, no one within Baymard... be it stranger or visitor, was wearing a mask.

So if he just showed up with his full faced mask, would go it seem like he was in costume instead?

This would make several heads turn towards him all the more.... and this would instead call more attention than if he just walked around barefaced.

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With the high inflow of guests, coupled with Baymard's current population one would definitely have a hard time spotting and following people around the busy streets of Baymard.

Baymard was the new 'It' empire, that was now seen as a 'must-visit' place by the people within the Pyno Continent.

Be it peasants, merchants, slaves and even nobles..... those who had heard of Baymard's glory all wanted to see the place, even if it was just for a day or so.

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Of course since the news had just circulated around the Pyno continent not too long ago, 98% of the visitors who came in..... were all from Carona, with the rest being non-Caronian merchants and those from Riverdale city.

Anyway, the place was jam packed with curious and busy people.

And with all the rare and amazing things around Baymard, it would truly be hard for one to concentrate on Willaim's face.

But just for security reasons, he got himself a light summery scarf for his disguise.

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And even though the citizens had taken note of him earlier.... that was because he had been walking alongside the most popular person in Baymard, his majesty Landon Barn.

In truth, he were just walking on the streets without a scarf, no one would even recognize him at all.

He would blend right in with them, so there was really anything to fear about his appearance while he stayed here in Baymard.

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Landon on the other hand, could now access William's information on the system..... for a hefty price of course.

And to his shock, they were actually cousins as well.

No wonder they looked so much alike.

Now it all made sense!!

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Reading William's information, he couldn't help but wonder how Alec would feel when he realized that the brother that he had 'killed', had now risen from the dead.... and even had a son for that matter.

And since Oden Barn was the rightful king instead of Alec..... then didn't that mean that William truly had every right to inherit the throne?

The system had definitely been aware of this when it chose William to be king.

It was a good thing that he had no plans of taking over Arcadina, as he was sure that his reign might not even last long, since the God's already had someone in mind.

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Anyway, even though Landon knew of William's past... he still had to wait for William to do his big reveal.

In a way, this was more advantageous to him instead.

["Elder brother Willy, if you ever need help out of Baymard.... no matter what it is, if it's something that doesn't go against my beliefs, just ask away and it shall be done."]

Those were his exact words to William.

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He wanted to build an unshakable trust first, so that when William finally did his big reveal and needed his help in taking Arcadina's throne.... he wouldn't hesitate to come to Landon anytime.

Also, just in case the system tried to bullsh**t him again.... Landon had bought a ridiculously expensive invisible tracker from the system and placed it on William.

This way, no matter where he went within Hertfilia, Landon would always know his exact location.

He wasn't taking any chances when completing this mission.

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As time flew by, the duo spent more time together..... analyzing each other's characters to the tee.

And soon, mother Kim and Lucius had returned from their honeymoon trip.

Seeing William here, they also teased him as well.

How could they not remember him?

They urged him to stay in the palace for the time being, but he quickly turned down the offer.

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The royals here were like famous celebrities, so if he was frequently spotted out with them when Alec arrived... wouldn't it blow up his cover instead?

And with that, William and his crew passed their days going out taking in all that Baymard had to offer.

They went to the Zoo, went go-kart racing, skateboarding, roller skating and so on.

In short, they had the time of their lives while here.

And just like that another 2 and a half weeks had gone by swiftly.

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--Riverdale City, Arcadina--

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The sun was high up in the sky, and the day was bright and fair.

On the massive roads, several carriages could be seen making their way into the city.

Unlike the merry and cheerful atmosphere within the city... the atmosphere within these carriages were all murderous and chaotic.

How dare they block their path when they were about to enter into the city?

Alec's blood was boiling hot, as he had never been treated like this in his entire life.

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When his entourage had first arrived, they had expected to just step into the city just like that... After all, the royal Crest was literally hung all over the carriages.

But who would've known that these weird dressed guards at the front wouldn't even put the royal crests in their eyes, and still insisted on following protocol?

Even after they were told who was inside the carriage, these people still didn't budge at all.

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Alec's entire body trembled violently, as he firmly clenched his fists in anger.

Good!!.... very Good!!

He didn't know who these men belonged to, but he was sure that they weren't his.

So his only question right now.... was who the hell would be so confident enough to take and occupy part of Arcadina's western territory while he was still alive and kicking?

It was definitely not the work of any of the other well known empires, as this territory was very far from any of their borders.

His mind worked fast like clockwork, and he quickly concluded that this was for sure Baymard's handiwork.

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But so what?

Since they had gone over the top by not giving him special treatment at the City's gates... then they would face his wrath sooner or later.

For now, he couldn't blow up his mission just because of some small fires.

Hence he decided to bottle up his flaring anger and abide by their rules.

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His entourage marched towards the City lord's estate.

But when he got there, what he saw almost made him puke blood and die in the spot.

The entire estate was now used as some sort of housing unit for the guards and workers from Baymard.

And to make matters worse, when he tried to get in.... the guards there all denied his request for entry, and now they had to sleep in an inn somewhere within the city.

When was the last time that he had received such treatments from people of lower births than him?

This was absolutely perposterous!!

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And just like that, they had ended up staying at one of the stone estates that belonged to one of those nobles that had previously fled away from Riverdale city.

Landon had changed the estate and made it like an Inn instead for situations such as these ones.

Arriving at the inn, Alec was shocked to see all 3 of his children here.

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Sure, when he had previously asked them what they were going to be doing over the next few months.... they had indeed mentioned something about visiting Baymard.

But he just didn't expect for them to visit Baymard so fast.

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They too were shocked to see Alec as well.

In short, Eli and Cary were the first ones to arrive 3 days ago.

They had stayed here all this time, so as to dig up information on Baymard.

As for Connor, he had only arrived a day ago and had coincidentally bumped into Eli and Cary during the morning breakfast meal option.

Seeing each other all in the same inn Alec quickly called for a Barn family meeting.

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They spoke about their findings, as well as their unfair treatment whilst they were here.

"Father they're being too much!!!

Just who the hell do they think that they are?" Cary exclaimed angrily.

Everyone was angry about this 'unfair' treatment as well, but right now... going to Baymard was more important than anything else.

Hence they could only calm themselves down and think rationally.

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"Little sister calm down... soon we'll leave this city, so there's no need for you to worry over these insignificant ants." Connor chimed in.

"Hes right!

For now, just go with the flow.

So father, when do you suggest that we leave for Baymard?"

"Well..... I'd like to see this land of milk and honey as quickly as possible.

So ready your men immediately..... because by 11 A.M tomorrow morning, we'll take off!!"

"Yes father!"

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Chapter 359 Hertfilias Most Foolish King

The summer's sun wasn't at its highest pique yet... as it was still 11:52 A.M

But even still, the heat that exuded from it caused several peoples skins to glisten brightly.

Their necks were damp with sweat, as they felt several lone drops of sweat make their way down their backs..... leaving only a twrail of temporary coolness behind.

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Even in this heat, the soil appeared to be defeated... as it had been utterly dried out, leaving it all powdery when touched.

Summer was truly one of the most brutal and harshest seasons of the 4.

But even amidst this heat, the flowers bloomed brightly, the trees and grasses looked ever-green and luscious..... and the sky was as clear and blue, and like a painting brought to life.

The echoes of summer were in full display, as it showcased nature's beauty for all to see.

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'Trieee! Trieee! Trieee!'

'Catch-acha-chacha-chacha'

On the busy road, which was now called 'Road Shanks'..... several horses, carriages, as well as pedestrians, could be seen moving back and forth noisily.

Yes.... the road between Baymard and Riverdale city was named after 'Shanks' from his favorite anime of all time 'One Piece'.

This was truly one of the things that he missed most from earth.

Did Monkey D. Luffy finally meet Shanks?

I mean after 900 \u0026amp; something episodes, how come they still hadn't met yet?

Sigh...

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On Road Shanks... Alec, Eli, Connor and Cary, were steadily making their way towards Baymard in their luxurious carriages.

Alec had brought 60 guards with him, while Eli and Cary had brought 53... followed by Connor who brought just 42 guards with him.

They knew that they were taking a risk by coming into their enemy's territory..... as they knew that their enemy would definitely have more guards at hand than they did.

But so what?

They were very confident that Landon wouldn't dare touch them, as doing so would be a waging war with the entire Arcadina.

Hence they slacked off a little bit when it concerned the number of guards that were supposed to stay with them once they entered Baymard.

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In addition to this, they knew that if they brought too many people over, one might see it as an enemy attack rather than just a friendly visit.

Of course even though they were going in with just these few people, they still had backup that were disguised as regular pedestrians.

One could never be too sure.

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'Trieee! Trieee! Trieee!'

Their carriages rode on one of the lanes on the left side of the road.

The coachmen and even their guards who were on horses, almost fell down when they saw the scene before them.

'Driieeeee!!'

'Driieeeee!!'

'Driieeeee!!'

They saw several massive carriages one of the lanes on the right side of the road that were operating without horses.

As the carriages moved, some black thing (tar) would drop onto the roads, and after that.... another carriage that had the largest wheel that they had ever seen (rollers), would drive over and smoothen the black thing on the lane.

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Looking at the scene before them, they all felt it too inconceivable.

What exactly were those monster carriages?

What were these people wearing, and where could they get those attires from?

Their eyes burned with desire as they watched these works every move.

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Looking at these strange but superior clothing attires, they couldn't help but feel somewhat embarrassed when they looked at their own attires.

It looked like these workers were the bosses, and they were the servants instead.

Apart from all these, they also noticed that the road they were now stepping on..... wasn't dusty anymore.

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This road had the same color as that black thing (tar) that they had seen drop into the floor..... but unlike the other one, this one had several white lines and

arrows on it, which distinguished how they should move and where they should go.

In addition to the black road, they also saw a sidewalk on the side..... which had pedestrians trekking back and forth tirelessly.

There were also several sign boards, that had things like : 'Baymard xx Km away', and stuff like that.

In short, the road was smooth even and very pleasing to the eyes.

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Once the carriage stopped, Alec and the rest all lifted their curtains to see what the hell had caused their men to stop their carriage without their orders.

It had better be good, or else they would personally skin them alive!

For sure, when they too saw the scene before them, their jaws almost dropped to the floors, and their eyes immediately twinkled with greed.

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Alec almost flew out of his carriage towards those godly carriages, as he truly wanted to steal them away from these men.

But seeing the number of guards protecting these men while they worked outside, Alec quickly controlled himself.... lest he ruined all of his plans so soon.

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After calming himself down.... a dastardly smile slowly crept on his face, as he urged his men to carry on.

He hehehehe.... wouldn't Baymard soon be his?

By then..... wouldn't all these things also belong to him as well?

Alec smiled, and even laughed by himself, as he truly felt like he was in cloud 9 right now.

Of course, it wasn't just him..... but his children as well.

They too smiled, as they had also pictured themselves ruling this newly established empire in the near future.

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They proceeded towards Baymard merrily..... and 28 minutes later, they had arrived at their destination.

Without a doubt..... seeing the massive Baymardian city walls before them made Alec felt really stupid.

How the hell did he give out this place to that bastard child of his?

His merry expression soon turned into a grim one.

In his mind... he had already placed all those nobles who had previously lived in Baymard to death!!

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He had read all the reports that they had sent to him throughout the years..... and in truth, he did send several people to confirm whether the place was truly barren or not.

The results were exactly the same as what those nobles had previously reported to him.

So why was the Baymard he was hearing of and seeing far different from what he knew of?

And what had truly possessed him to give out the 3rd largest city in his empire?

One could fit 4 average sized cities within Arcadina into Baymard.

That's how huge the place was alright?

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Alec felt like strangling his former self, as ye thought of what he had previously done.

But then again, it was the fault of all those around him at the time.

The nobles in Baymard often complained about needing more money to feed the citizens here on a regular basis.

And in truth, he just felt like it would be a strategic move to stop funding those citizens anymore.

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He had been sending them heaps of money for the past 7~ 10 years... and that took a toll on the empire's yearly income.

So he did what anyone would do.... throw away all his problems, and abandoned the issues for someone else to handle.

But who would've known that he would've ended up making the most stupid decision of all?

He had casted away someone as intelligent as Landon.... as well as given away his 3rd most largest city within his empire.

Yup!... he knew that he would go down as one of the most foolish kings of all times.

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In his mind, he felt like there was more to this story than what meets the eyes.

How did Baymard have enough resources to do all of this?

Something smelled fishy with the reports that he had previously read, so he decided that when he returned, he would investigate if properly.

And if there was something that they had left out from the reports, then he would put them all to death for making him a 'foolish king'.

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Looking at the high smooth walls that seemed to be as sturdy as a rock..... even Eli, Connor and Cary couldn't help but nod in appreciation.

They all thought of Alec's previous actions, and also felt like punching him as well.

Who didn't he give it to any of them instead?

They grumbled silently, as they passed Baymard's gates and stepped into King's Landing.

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Okay..... now they were really confused.

Did they just leave Hertfilia and had somehow been transported into another world?

The roads, the buildings, the lawns... in short, everything was perfect!!

Right from afar, they could see a massive glass building that had the words: 'Baymard's International Landport', written on

The building looked very high-end, as it it was meant only for royals.

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Very soon, several people who called themselves customer service representatives, came on over and ushered them into the Landport.

Once again, they all felt very down dressed, as they kept comparing their attires to these Baymardian workers.

The quality was obviously superior to theirs..... and this alone made them feel embarrassed to be called royals.

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But the most shocking thing so far, had to be the magical doors that opened on their own.

They looked at the doors silently.....while trying to calm their overly excited hearts.

Seeing all of this, they had built up even more determination in getting Baymard.

'This place is mine!!', they all thought, while passing through the mystical doors.

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'Vrrpp!!!'

"Welcome to Baymard esteemed guests."

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Chapter 360 A Great Welcome!

Alec and his team sheepishly followed the welcoming lady into the building, while still being lost in thought.

They looked around the Landport in shock..... as it truly looked out of this world.

The Landport had 3 main floors to it, and once they stepped onto the ground floor.

Unlike the Coastal port that focused on making sure that the ships were properly docked, this one focused on the horses and carriages instead.

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One should know that at the side of the Landport, rather than having a massive parking lot..... one could find another massive 3 floor building there as well.

This building acted as a storage unit for keeping the horses and carriages in check.

Typically, the visitors would go here first, before finally stepping into the Landport.

Here, they would store and register everything that they had... and once they were done, they would get their receipt and a number tag for them to hold on to.

And even if they lost all that..... their names, time of storage, date of today, as well as a made up pin number would be jotted down as well.

Also, if they needed any sort of maintenance done on their carriages, then that would be the best time to pay up and inform the staff members as well.

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Essentially, after all that, they were to use the airport trolleys and roll all their cargos into the actual Landport building itself.

Of course someone would show them how it's done, if this was their first time coming here.

The ground floor of the building was for security checks and customer services.

Here, they would also give up their weapons and store them too.... if they had any.

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Sure... one could still say that even after giving up their weapons, they could still use a cooking knife to kill whoever they wanted to within Baymard.

Buy so what?

Back on earth, the U.S citizens could still use guns within their country..... but why was it that they weren't allowed to carry them in the airports or bring them into the country?

Not just the U.S... but other places as well.

All Landon was trying to do was minimize the number of attacks and that was it.

Plus... he would like to see who would dare to come into Baymard and kill his people.

Heheheh.... the new maximum security prison was ready for use, so he could only tell those people Goodluck in escaping from his grasp.

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Anyway, after these security checks..... these visitors would step onto the escalator, and go to the 2nd floor for Visa processing.

There, they would have to agree to all of Baymard's rules, as well as state the purpose for visitation and so on.

Landon had given out a list of things to check during the procedure.... so this step was quite a thorough one.

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And once their Visas were done, they would now pay for their baggage if it exceeded the required weight and number of bags going in.

Unlike the regular 2 bag policy back on earth.... Landon had chosen to create his own 3 bag policy instead, based on what peasants usually carried as luggage.

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Anyway, once all that was done and the visitors finally had a grasp to how long they were going to stay..... then they had to pay for their carriage and horse care for that duration of time.

If they were here for a month, of course their horses needed to be fed and medically checked daily.

Heck!... even its poop needs to be cleaned out regularly.

So the money to pay off the workers would come from these charges.

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And everything depended on how many horses one had, how much space they were taking up, and how many carriages they had brought in as well.

The prices were very reasonable, as it was done to ensure that even peasants would find it easy to pay up if need be.... as some of the planets rode in on single horses to get here, while others trekked.

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And of course after paying for everything, they would pay for their bus tickets if they were ordinary passengers..... as V.I.Ps would have the Limo experience instead.

The limo's here weren't as long as Landon's.... but even so, they still screamed out luxury to all those who saw them.

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Once they got their bus tickets.... they would then use the escalator to descend to the ground floor on the opposite side of the building.

That site had a waiting area, as well as several stores and cafeteria options around too.

In short, the ground and second floors were meant for the customers... while the 3rd floor was meant for the staff, managers, and board of directors.

There, one would see locker rooms, conference rooms and so on.

Of course, all floors had security, clinical, and janitor rooms there as well.... irrespective of whether they were for staff or customers.

That in a nutshell was the complete layout of the Landport.

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Alec and his team paused very briefly, as they were completely caught unawares at how magnificent the place looked.

It's clear white walls, well polished marble floors and cool temperature, made them feel very relaxed.

How come it was scorching hot outside, but cooler in here?

It was like magic to them.

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The entire Landport was a blend of several incoherent noises.

They could hear people yelling out excitedly, while others mumbled about heaven knows what.

The sounds of bags being dragged left and right, and the sounds of the staffers and machines could be heard all around them.

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And while they moved, they kept on reading all the signs that were plastered on the walls as well.

Looking at the entire layout of the place, everyone soon began to feel like there was no better building than this one.

And so, their greedy meters began to rise steadily.

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As they looked at the lady who was leading them in, they couldn't help but feel some sort of pride in their hearts.

Ahhh.... it looks like these people had finally realized that they were royalty.

That must be the reason why the lady came up to them in such a welcoming manner.

They strutted in arrogantly as if they owned the place, while raising their noses high up into the air majestically.

They thought that everyone would be looking at them.... but when they turned around, they realized that almost no one was.

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With an amazing Landport before these people, why would they focus on them instead?

In addition to that, their own attires resembled that of ordinary folk people, when compared to those that the Baymardian workers wore.

The clothing quality was just too contrasting!!

Of course some people saw their crests and immediately knew who they were.

But most couldn't care less about who they were.

Please!!..... their eyes were busy alright?

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"I take it that you were sent here to welcome us.... so hurry up will you!" Alec bellowed in annoyance.

He was annoyed by the fact that almost no one one was looking at him.

When had he ever walked into a room and not taken everyone's attention just by his presence alone?

He had never been looked down on so much, as he was right now.

'Hmmp!!!... just you all wait', he thought.

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The lady who was leading them found their attitudes very amusing as well.

She used to be a slave from the empire of Yodan..... so she had no idea what the royal crests here looked like.

But even so, the attitudes of these people told her that they were either first or second tier nobles..... or even royalty themselves.

But so what?

Everyone was equal here.... unless they were V.I.Ps.

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"I'm sorry esteemed guests.... but I wasn't sent here by anyone.

I'm just doing my job by assisting first time travellers here." She said, while gesturing towards another staffer who was also helping another customer as well.

And to make matters worse, the customer wore old sac-like clothings, and had worn out shoes that looked like they had been shredded with a meat grinder.

So in other words, they weren't all that special when compared to others?

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The sizzling sparks of rage that had been buried by Alec, Eli, Cary and Connor..... all grew into mighty flames, as they listened to the lady.

What the hell?

Why were these Baymardians hell bent on testing their patience?

They were royalty for heaven's sake!

And as such, they should be permitted to get all the finer things in life no matter whether it was special treatment or even waving off fees for them.

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Why the hell were these people placing them in the same category as these filthy peasants?

Their faces all became distorted, and soon turned as red as a tomato.

They clenched their fists and gritted their teeth in anger, as they thought of all the humiliation that they had faced from Riverdale city right up till here.

These people were definitely doing it on purpose!!

Fine!.... since they wanted to make a fool out of them, then 2 can play that game.

They would be the bigger person and forgive these unruly people for now... but when they took over, they would definitely put them to death!

They quickly calmed down, when they thought of their mission... and followed the harlot of a lady towards security, while glaring at her intensely.

'Hmpp!.....b**ch!'

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But how would they have known that what they had just witnessed would be the tip of the iceberg for them?

Hehehe.... one could say that their Landport experience made them shiver uncontrollably, whenever they thought about it.

Because in a few more minutes, they would finally witness what pain and humiliation truly felt like.