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AAAHM

AHA! OKAY.

THAT'S WHY BOTH VILLAGE AND VILLAGERS ARE ALL BLOCKS OF ICE NOW.

THEN ANYTHING BITTEN BY THAT SHARK PROMPTLY FREEZES.

Witch the Witch

8th Hunt: The Hisame Majik, Part 2

Story by Osamu Nishi Art by Shiro Usazaki

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ALL THAT ASIDE...

THANKS. CHRISSY, YOUR VILLAGE IS THIS WAY, RIGHT?

*ARMBAND: RECORDS

...I THINK SHE LIKES YOU.

BAAAN

GRP

HWOOOOOO

JALIZ VILLAGE, THAZANWOOD

WOW. THE WHOLE VILLAGE REALLY IS FROZEN.

CHRISSY, WHERE ARE YOUR MOMMY AND DADDY?

I DON'T SEE ANY VILLAGERS.

THEY'RE GONE.

But!

THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT HAPPENED IN THE OFFICIAL REPORT TOO.

HMMM...

THEY SOMEHOW MOVED EVEN THOUGH THEY WERE FROZEN?

YES. THAT'S ODD.

...

STAAARE

ANYTHING THAT WAS BITTEN WAS PROMPTLY ENVELOPED IN A BLOCK OF ICE.

ACCORDING TO THE INVESTIGATION TEAM, FLYING SHARKS MADE OF ICE ATTACKED BOTH PEOPLE AND STRUCTURES.

NOT REALLY. ALL I DID WAS READ THE REPORT, HEH HEH...

BOY, KUMUGI! YOU KNOW EVERYTHING!

...BUT THEY'RE STILL UNDER MEDICAL WATCH, AS THEY'RE IN SERIOUS CONDITION.

THEY RESUSCITATED SOME OF THE VICTIMS WITH AN EMERGENCY AID SPELL...

LET'S BEGIN BY CHECKING THE LAKE!

HEH HEH!

IN ALL THE REPORTS FROM EACH VILLAGE, THE VICTIMS WERE EVENTUALLY FOUND BY A NEARBY BODY OF WATER.

YEAH!


OOOOOOOOOM
BRBL
BRBL
BRBL


UUUHH
うぉお……
Oho.

PEEK

A CASTLE?

NO... CASTLE?

NOT HARD TO GUESS THIS IS THAT SHARK'S LAIR.

TALK ABOUT POOR TASTE.

CK!

WHAT'S THAT... THING?

CLOSE THINE EYES- TAFF- TAFF.

PAF

!!

MASTER DESSCARAS ...?!

LOOK CLOSER.

...!

SLUMP

OOOOOO

IT'S CLEAR AS DAY.

ARE THOSE... THE VILLAG-ERS?

OH MY GOSH!

IT HAS A DESIRE TO KILL HUMANS, AND A HABIT OF TOYING WITH PREY.

R-
RIGHT...!

DEATH
FOR
DEATH.

HELLO
!!

SHF

THIS
MAJIK...

...MUST
BE
HUNTED.

A WEAK,
TIMID
CREATURE
WILL BE
TOO
CAUTIOUS
TO SHOW.

I-I-ICHI?!
WHY DID YOU
DO THAT?!
HISAME WILL
NOTICE!

UM
?!

EXACTLY.

BUT...

...ONE WHO'S
CONFIDENT
THAT IT'S
POWERFUL...

GLUB

SWF

...WILL COME OUT TO FACE THE CHALLENGE.

BOOSH

...!

...AM THE HISAME MAJIK!

I...

GLUK

ゴクッ…

BAAAN

IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU GOT HERE!

YOU UGLY CRETINS!

?!

GAWD!

COULD YOU MAYBE TRY BEING ON TIME?! I'D GROW WHISKERS WAITING FOR YOU!

LIKE, HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE YOU TO CROSS A DINKY MOUNTAIN? I FINISHED DOING MY MAKEUP HOURS AND HOURS AGO!

UGH... COULD YOU HAVE COME ANY LATER?!

P-POTATO ...?!

THAT'S MISS HISAME TO YOU, POTATO FACE!

ZWIP

THAT'S THE HISAME MAJIK?

魔法使いの未熟な

MAJIK

HISAME

EVERYONE SAYS YOU'RE THE MOST POWERFUL WITCH THERE IS.

ESPECIALLY SINCE THE ABYSSAL WITCH HERSELF CAME TO ACQUIRE ME!

OH WELL. MY MERCY IS AS BOUNDLESS AS THE SEA. I SUPPOSE I CAN OVERLOOK AN INSULT OR TWO.

TEE HEE!

IT'S, LIKE, FINALLY. A BRAND THAT'S WORTHY OF ME.

HEE HEE-HEE-HEE!!

...BUT IT WAS A FRESH TAKE, I'LL GIVE IT THAT. I COULD FEEL YOUR ENTHUSIASM.

YOU TOTALLY CAUGHT ME OFF GUARD WITH THAT CRUDE HELLO A MINUTE AGO...

AAHN! I CAN SEE IT NOW. THE BEAUTEOUS MAJIK, RAVAGER OF VILLAGES, VERSUS THE GREATEST WITCH! IT'LL BE SO PICTURESQUE!

FOR A MAJIK, BEING CHALLENGED BY A POWERFUL WITCH IS A MARK OF PRIDE!

FACE ME WITH ALL YOU'VE...

STEP FORWARD, DESSCARAS, THE ABYSSAL WITCH!

NOW COME!

DUN

...GOT?

?

UM...

YEAH, UH, SO HE'S ACTUALLY THE ONE WHO CHALLENGED YOU.

Oh, him?

Uh, excuse me?

WHO'S THIS BOY? WHAT'S HE DOING HERE?

SFF

ちゃぽん…

PLUSH

FLOP

DUN

NO, NOT "THERE"!

THERE.

GYAAIEE!!

KRAKL

INAZURI.

KRAKL

KRAKL

THE ZAP-ZAP CATFISH TRAP!

THE ZAP... WHA?!

WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?!

PSHT

PSHT

おぉ～
OOOOH!

A LONG TIME AGO, I SAW A CATFISH THAT WAS PARALYZING OTHER FISH IN THE WATER.

...AND HE SAID THEY USE ELECTRIC DISCHARGES TO KNOCK OUT THEIR PREY!

I TOLD A FISHERMAN I KNEW ABOUT IT...

whaaa?

WHO IS HE, REALLY?!

OKAY!

...!

I THOUGHT I'D TRY DOING THE SAME THING WITH INAZURI.

HE ONLY FIRST GOT HIS MAGIC A HAND-FUL OF DAYS AGO.

HE'S LEARNING SO FAST...!

CHK

GULP

?!

I KNOW WHO YOU ARE NOW.

YOU MUST BE THAT BOY WITCH!

OH MY GAWD, YOU'RE KIDDING! THAT MADE ME BREAK A NAIL!

PAF

PAF

NOW TO REEL IN OUR CATCH AND...

HONEY, I'LL BE BLUNT. YOU SUCK. LIKE, YOU DON'T EVEN GET THE BASICS OF MAJIK HUNTING.

BUT!

はぁ？

SIIIGH

I'M ICHI!

A WITCH, BUT ALSO A MALE!

ALL THE MAJIKS ARE TALKING ABOUT THE NONSTANDARD HUMAN WHO SOMEHOW MANAGED TO ACQUIRE LORD URORO.

I DIDN'T BELIEVE THEM AT FIRST, BUT WHAT DO YOU KNOW, YOU DO EXIST.

ZWIP

IF YOU WANT TO HUNT US, YOU HAVE TO PASS OUR TRIAL!

WE MAJIKS ARE SPECIAL.

...WE'LL KEEP COMING BACK, OVER AND OVER AGAIN!

AS LONG AS YOU DON'T PASS OUR TRIAL...

CUT US INTO BITS. BURN US TO ASH. DISINTE-GRATE US INTO MIST.

I, THE HISAME MAJIK, PRESENT YOU THIS TRIAL!

I WANT ...

SHOW ME YOU HAVE CREATIVITY AND SENSIBIL-ITY WORTHY OF ACQUIRING ME!

YOU ARE THE CON-TESTANTS!

I AM THE JUDGE!

FASH

THAT'S RIGHT! FOR MY TRIAL...

...I WILL TEST YOUR FASHION SENSE!

...YOUR MOST GORGEOUS! MOST STUNNING! MOST MARVELOUS DESIGNS!

MAKE! ME! FABU-LOUS!

MAKE HER FABU-LOUS ...?

To be continued!

Ichi the Witch

THE HISAME MAJIK!

THE TRIAL IT HAS PRESENTED...

...IS TO MAKE IT LOOK FABULOUS.

HISAME

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OKAY!

READY!

WITCH CADET KUMUGI!

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CLEEEM

THERE! BEAUTIFUL AND COLORFUL!

ADD A DRAPE OF SOME FABRIC THAT'S FASHIONABLE IN NATALI RIGHT NOW...

FLOOF

IF YOU WANT TO MAKE SOMETHING LOOK FANCY, YOU MUST GO WITH FLOWERS!

I acquired them!

*ARMBAND: RECORDS

THE KUMUGI BRAND...

WISH

...AND DONE!

DRESSY!

...FABULOUSLY GORGEOUS ENSEMBLE!

HMPH

LITERAL GARBAGE.

USE ALL THE NICE PROPS YOU WANT, BUT IF YOUR FASHION SENSE IS GARBAGE, IT'S ALL GARBAGE.

WHAT IS THIS, ANYWAY? A FUNERAL? GAWD.

NO IMAGINATION. AND THESE FLOWERS ARE, LIKE, WAY TOO LOUD.

YOU FAIL!

STA-STAB

Gyaa!

STAB

STAB

SIT BACK AND LET THE G.O.A.T. HANDLE THIS.

DUN

WAAAH

SHAKE IT OFF, MUGI. IT'LL BE OKAY.

MASTER DESS-CARAS!

ZING

LISTEN UP, HISAME!

LET'S SEE WHAT LOVELY FASHION YOU...

HEH-HEH

77ーン

OOH. NOW THAT'S BETTER.

...DOESN'T COME FROM APPEAR-ANCES!

TRUE BEAUTY...

!

NO MATTER HOW FABULOUS OR HOW GORGEOUS YOU MAKE YOURSELF LOOK...

...IF YOU'RE UGLY ON THE INSIDE, YOU CAN'T CALL YOURSELF TRULY BEAUTIFUL.

TRUE BEAUTY...

...COMES FROM INSIDE THE HEART ...

THAT'S NOT WHAT I'M TALKING ABOUT.

I'M SO NOT HERE FOR ANY OF THAT PREACHY, IDEALISTIC TRASH.

I TOLD YOU TO DRESS ME UP. THAT'S IT.

TIIING

GARBAGE.

POP!

GARBAGE.

TRENDY!

MNNN...

...IT'S STILL GARBAGE!

THIS IS THE BEST ATTEMPT YET, BUT...

POST-MODERN ...?

HUFF HUFF

*BORED NOW

SIIIGH

はぁ～

I'LL GIVE WITCH BOY OVER THERE ONE MORE SHOT, BUT THAT'S IT.

IT'S NOT LIKE I HAVE ALL DAY. I'M A BUSY MAJIK.

WHAT ?!

GRIN

OH, BUT BEFORE I LEAVE...

...I'LL HAVE TO TURN YOU ALL INTO ICE CUBES. ♥

BUT... BUT...!

FAIL THAT AND I'LL MOVE ON TO THE NEXT VILLAGE.

HWOOOOO

IT'D BE A WASTE NOT TO.

I THINK I'LL FREEZE THE ABYSSAL WITCH INTO A DESK SHAPE.

AND I'LL DO WITCH BOY THE FAVOR OF MAKING HIM INTO A CHAIR.

HEE! ♥

YOU'LL MAKE FOR SOME KILLER INTERIOR DESIGN. ♥

I'LL ALLOW IT.

TIME-OUT.

Are you okay?

!...

hi

GOOONG

SHOO!

SHOO!

Oh! RIGHT, YOU EXIST. I DON'T NEED YOU.

AT THIS RATE, WE'LL ALL END UP AS BLOCKS OF ICE!

WHAT COUNTS AND WHAT DOESN'T IS ENTIRELY ITS PERSONAL OPINION.

Pretty much!

MAKING IT "FABULOUS" IS JUST TOO ABSTRACT A CONCEPT. THIS IS SO HARD!

OH MY GOSH, WHAT DO WE DO NOW?!

MTTR

HM? ICHI?

MTTR

AND WE ONLY HAVE ONE MORE CHANCE...

DRESSING UP.

INNER BEAUTY. GORGEOUS-NESS.

I WANT TO TRY SOME-THING.

SMIIIRK

...

IGNORING HER

無視

WHAT'S THAT?

CAN YOU MAKE SOMETHING LIKE THIS?

NO.

SKCH ゴリ SKCH ゴリ

WHAAA?!

Then add this... And do that...

Make it as big as you can too.

HISAME!

STMP

AFTER THIS TRASH, I'LL NEED TO WATCH SOME HUMANS STRUGGLE AND SUFFER AS THEY FREEZE AS A PALATE CLEANSER.

MAYBE I SHOULD JUST GO ON TO THE NEXT VILLAGE ALREADY.

GAWD, WHAT A TOTAL DISAPPOINTMENT. BOTH THE STRONGEST WITCH AND WITCH BOY TOO.

はぁ SIIIGH

AHA. I SEE.

BRING IT ON!

YOU'RE GOING FOR SEX APPEAL!

NO, ACTUALLY.

SHF

WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU...

ちゃぽん...
PUDDLE

IF IT'S NOT THAT, WHAT IS IT?! ARE YOU GOING TO BRING OUT A POLE AND START DANCING?

ズズズ?!

ドドド

GYAAAIEEEEE!!

INAZURI.

BNNNNNNK

GLUK

I KNEW HE WAS A DISAP-POINT-MENT...

HOW UTTERLY UNIN-SPIRING.

PSHK

UGH, THAT ATTACK AGAIN?

PSHK

SHOOP

!!

GULP

I... HULP ...!

ULG! OH MY GAWD ...!

?!

NO, REALLY!

WHAT IN THE WORLD?!

WHAT IS HE THINKING?!

INAZURI.

UM

JOLT

SHNK

WHA?! NO WAY!

FIRST A LITTLE SHALLOW CUT, RIGHT ALONG THE SPINE. ♪

?!

TWCH

?!

TWCH

THEN AGAIN AND AGAIN, DEEPER AND BOLDER EVERY TIME. ♫

YOU'RE NOT GOING TO ...!

BLIND FISH FILLET-ING!

ICHI STYLE!

VWOM

ZLASH

I'M NOT FINISHED YET!

OKAY!

To be continued!

Ichi the Witch

...I WAS WALKING ALONG THE MOUNTAIN'S SLOPE NEAR THE BEACH.

ONE DAY, YEARS AGO...

THERE, I SAW A GIGANTIC FISH.

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スーウウウン...

LOOOOM

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SHUK

AND THEN, SUDDENLY...

BL

...A GIGANTIC MAN POPPED OUT OF ITS GUT.

ORK

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GYAAAA!!

I ACTUALLY SCREAMED.

KRAKL

11°

KRAKL

11°

HE SAID HIS NAME WAS MINAKATA.

HE WAS A TRAVELING FISHER.

HE WAS DEFINITELY WEIRD...

...BUT HE WAS ALSO WILD AND FULL OF LIFE.

THAT'S WHY HE CAME TO THE MOUNTAINS TO PRACTICE ALONE.

...BUT GETTING CAUGHT DOING IT WOULD BE TOO EMBAR-RASSING.

HE TOLD ME HE ALWAYS WANTED TO TRY FILLETING A FISH FROM THE INSIDE...

...AND WAS TRAVELLING THE WORLD TO CATCH AND RECORD ALL ITS FISH.

HE CAME FROM A SMALL ISLAND COUNTRY TO THE EAST...

MINAKATA'S STORIES WERE FUN AND DYNAMIC. I LIKED THEM.

I LEARNED A LOT FROM HIM TOO.

TYPES OF FISH. HOW TO CATCH THEM. HOW TO DRESS THEM.

EVEN RITUAL DANCES TO PRAY FOR A BIG CATCH.

SOME-TIMES OUR OPINIONS WOULD CLASH...

...AND THEN WE'D CLASH PHYSICALLY, SMACKING EACH OTHER AROUND...

...BUT ALL IN ALL, THE TIME WE SPENT TOGETHER WAS FULFILLING.

OF ALL THE THINGS HE TAUGHT ME...

...HIS HOME COUNTRY'S COOKING WAS WHAT I FOUND MOST IMPRESSIVE.

I WAS STRUCK BY ONE OF HIS RECIPES IN PARTICULAR. ACCORDING TO HIM, IT WAS A SPECIAL DISH...

...WHERE YOU SHOW YOUR RESPECT AND GRATITUDE TO THE FISH YOU CATCH BY DRESSING THEM NEATLY, THEN DISPLAYING THEM BEAUTIFULLY.

HE SHOWED THIS ONE TO ME AS A CELEBRATION...

...OF MEETING ME.

ZLA-

ZLA-

ZLA-

ZLA-

ZLA-

MINAKATA...

BRING THE BOAT!

DU-DUN

ZLASH

ZWSH

I'VE TAKEN YOUR TEACHINGS TO HEART!

...THANK YOU!

I GRANT THEE SHAPE-BAROCK.

KISH

KISH

KISH

THUK

KISH

KISH

ICE BOAT

氷舟

FIRST!

SPLAP

SPLAP

SECOND!

SPLAP

BLAF

NOW THE DECORA-TION!

THIRD! FOURTH! AND FIFTH ARE PLATED!

SPLAP-

AP-

AP

THWOP!

SFF

AND FINALLY, A SINGLE FLOWER!

...!

TWCH

ENJOY. I RECOMMEND DIPPING EACH BITE IN THIS SPECIAL SAUCE AND CONDIMENT.

TWCH

NOPE!

NOPE!

NOPE!

NOPE!

一式 宮家華鮫の舟盛

ICHI STYLE... DELUXE HISAME SASHIMI BOAT!

WHAT...

...IN THE WORLD?!

ピクッ TWCH

IT... IT'S...!

MY WHOLE BODY!

ピクッ TWCH

ゴゴゴゴ BA-BAAN

よっしゃあ!! AWRIGHT!

ぐしょお... SPLOCH

完成!! DONE!!

AAAAAA!

ハァ～～～ン!!

IT'S LITERALLY...

...THE BEST!

EV-AR!!

I CAN'T THINK OF A SINGLE NEGATIVE THING TO SAY.

I LOSE.

PLTHP

...

IS ON FABU-LOUS DIS-PLAY!

EVERY LAST INCH OF MY BODY, BOTH INSIDE AND OUT...

GORGEOUS! MAGNIFICENT! STUNNING! EVEN FASHIONABLY GROTESQUE!

GLITR

UHHH...

新感覚!!

A NEW, FRESH SENSATION!!

WHAT A FORMI-DABLE MAN.

ICHI THE WITCH.

I THINK I WOULDN'T MIND LETTING YOU TAKE ME ON A DATE.

FWSH

FASH

...!

HISAME'S MAGIC STONE!

OOH!

WELL THAT WAS OVER-WHELM-ING.

Oh geez...

Thanks.

YOU CAN QUIT ACTING EVEN DUMBER THAN YOU ARE NOW.

My sashimi boat...

I CAN'T EAT THIS.

AND COULD YOU PLEASE PUT REAL CLOTHES BACK ON?

I THOUGHT NOT.

OH. HELL NAW.

ARE THEY ALL GOING TO BE...

UM...

OUR ANTI HUMAN-HATER MAJIK SQUAD MISSIONS.

YAAAH!

TRUE. ONE WRONG STEP AND YOU COULD EASILY WIND UP DEAD.

FIRST AND FOREMOST, WHO'D EVER THINK OF JUMPING DOWN A MAJIK'S GULLET TO CHOP IT UP FROM THE INSIDE?

...THERE ARE THINGS THAT ONLY HE CAN DO.

BECAUSE HE IS THE WAY HE IS...

AH WELL.

Whew. This won't be the norm.

LIKE WHAT?

THINGS ONLY ICHI CAN DO?

REALLY?

OH, UH...

DRESSED!

MOSTLY REALLY DUMB THINGS, PROBABLY.

CHRISSY!

...!

M'KAY. TIME TO HEAD HOME.

HUH? BUT THE VILLAGERS ...!

CHRISSY ?!

AAAH...

MOM...?

CHRISSY ...!

DAD ...?

BLINK

ガヤガヤ

YAMR

THE VILLAGERS ...!

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YAMR

OH THANK GOODNESS!

!

Whew...

THEY SHOULD PROBABLY ALL HAVE A DOCTOR LOOK AT THEM, BUT NOBODY DIED.

Feh!

TOO DAMN THOROUGH.

WHILE YOU WERE WORKING ON THE FISH DRESSING, I DUCKED OVER TO CAST DEFROSTING AND HEALING SPELLS ON EVERYBODY.

EVERY-ONE ELSE DID TOO!

MY MOM AND DAD CAME BACK!

ICHI!

ずまぎ…

MYARRR...!

Right?

Master Desscaras, you're amazing!

THANKS FOR RESCUING US!

ICHI!

CHRISSY!

I'M HAPPY FOR YOU!

WHAT?!

HE WAS THE ONE WHO ACQUIRED THE HISAME MAJIK.

HE DID?!

REALLY?! THAT'S AMAZING!

A BOY WITCH?!

A WITCH WHO'S ALSO A BOY!

HE'S A WITCH!

ER...

ICHI?

Who?

HEH HEH!

ANY-WAY...!

ICHI THE WITCH FINISHED HIS FIRST MISSION...

Gotta melt all the ice around the village too.

No, first everyone should see a doctor...

Please, let us thank you!

ワア WAA

ワア WAA

You just wanna eat sashimi.

I know! We can make a sashimi boat in celebration!

A what boat?

WAA

...AND ACQUIRED THE HISAME MAJIK!

ワア WAA

To be continued!

11th Hunt: Witches' Conference

Yoh! the Witch

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Ichi the Witch

NOW, THEN...

MONIGOLD, THE AUREATE WITCH

DUN

...I HEREBY CONVENE THIS WITCHES' CONFERENCE.

THE BIG TOPIC ON THE AGENDA IS...YOU GUESSED IT!

SHIRABEDONNA, THE ANALYTIC WITCH

MR. ICHI, THE BOY WITCH!

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DESSCARAS' BIG ADVENTURE!

Written by Desscaras

"THE TRUE HERO IN THE SHADOWS!"

"BATTLE VS. HISAME"

ACCORDING TO THE REPORT THEY PROVIDED...

So!

REMOTING IN

ON STANDBY

...HE HAS ACQUIRED A TOTAL OF THREE MAJIKS.

NOW, ALONG WITH THE URORO MAJIK AND INAZURI, THE RAIKO MAJIK...

...ICHI SUCCESS-FULLY ACQUIRED THE HISAME MAJIK.

GOOONG

AHEM! ACCORDING TO THE REPORT MY STUDENT KUMUGI PROVIDED...

EVEN THE FASTEST ACQUISITIONS TAKE AT LEAST A WEEK.

...HUNTING MAJIKS IS NEITHER AN EASY NOR A FAST PROCESS!

...WHILE POWER LEVEL AND COM-PATIBILITY MAY CAUSE SOME DIFFER-ENCES...

AS ALL OF US ARE FULL-FLEDGED WITCHES, YOU WELL KNOW THAT...

TO SUM-MARIZE ...

BUT MR. ICHI HAS ACQUIRED THREE MAJIKS IN A MERE TWO WEEKS!

Mmm...

SOME TAKE A YEAR, EVEN TWO OR MORE. WE HAVE RECORDS OF MAJIK HUNTS WHICH TOOK OVER A DECADE.

...IS ABNORMALLY FAST.

...THE RATE AT WHICH HE'S ACQUIRING MAJIKS...

...

HAH!

I'm gonna go hunt something!

Back soon.

Wha?!

WHILE HE DOES HAVE DESSCARAS AS A TUTOR...

...HIS RESULTS ARE STILL SPECTACU-LAR FOR A NEW WITCH!

THANKS TO HIS BACKGROUND AS A STANDARD HUNTER, HE BRINGS A FRESH PERSPECTIVE TO MAJIK HUNTING.

HIS TECHNIQUES ARE POSITIVELY REVOLUTIONARY!

...THE VILLAGERS WERE EFFUSIVELY THANKFUL FOR HIS AID!

BUT MORE IMPORTANTLY...

THEY WERE HONESTLY GRATEFUL AND REGARDED HIM AS THEIR SAVIOR!

RECORDED IMAGE

THERE WAS NO SUSPICION OF HIM AS A MALE WITCH. NO MISTRUST.

*PAPER: PROPOSAL

THUS, I WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A PROPOSAL!

...IS CAPABLE OF ACCEPTING A MALE WITCH!

THAT'S PROOF THAT THE PUBLIC AT LARGE...

!!

WE NO LONGER NEED TO KEEP ICHI THE WITCH'S EXISTENCE SECRET.

I SUGGEST WE OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCE IT...

...TO THE ENTIRE WORLD!

YES! I CALL IT...

THE WHOLE WORLD?!

WOOT!

...THE "MIGHT AS WELL MAKE AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT CUZ FINDING EXCUSES AFTER HE'S OUTED WOULD SUCK" PLAN!

THE INQUIRIES FROM VARIOUS AGENCIES HAVE BEEN ENDLESS.

WHERE DID THE ENORMOUS FOREST THAT SUDDENLY APPEARED ON DRUID MOUNTAIN COME FROM?

WHO ACQUIRED THE URORO MAJIK?

TRUE...

RIGHT, MONI-GOLD?

WE'RE ALREADY DEALING WITH A TON OF ANNOYING QUESTIONS AS IT IS.

DUN

ズーン

...WE WILL PRESENT A FULL REPORT IN TIME.

WE'RE AFRAID WE CANNOT YET ASCERTAIN ALL THE DETAILS.

HOW-EVER...

ズーン

DUN

MONIGOLD'S SECRETARY, CIRCOS

You may with-draw.

CIRCOS!

I, TOO, AM BEING WORKED TO DEATH OVER IT.

PLEASE HELP.

I want a vacation.

WE'VE RELIED ON MASTER MONIGOLD'S IMPOSING AURA TO TELL THEM "WE'RE WORKING ON IT," BUT THAT EXCUSE WON'T HOLD MUCH LONGER.

In that fashion...

はぁ～ UGH...

AH. YOU INTIMI-DATED THEM INTO SILENCE. GOTCHA.

Not bad!

THERE'RE BIG BENEFITS FOR THE ASSOCIA-TION IF WE DO TOO.

HEH

...PERHAPS IT'D BE MORE EFFICIENT TO DEBUT HIM AND SIMPLY HANDLE THE FALLOUT.

INSTEAD OF SPENDING OUR EFFORT FENDING OFF VARIOUS INQUIRIES...

Ah, well...

As you wish.

AS THE ORGANIZATION TO WHICH THE WORLD'S FIRST MALE WITCH BELONGS...

...THE NAME OF THE MANTINEL WITCHES' ASSOCIATION WOULD ECHO FAR AND WIDE.

I THINK THIS IS A GOOD IDEA.

LET'S MAKE AN ANNOUNCE-MENT.

...

UM, I-IF EVERYONE ELSE THINKS IT'S A GOOD IDEA, THEN I GUESS...

YEAH!

I APPROVE OF THIS IDEA AS WELL.

SURE! LET'S DO IT. TOSS 'IM OUT INTO THE WORLD. IF IT BREAKS HIM, THEN HE DIDN'T HAVE WHAT IT TAKES IN THE FIRST PLACE.

VOOP

ALL RIGHT. IT SOUNDS LIKE GENERAL OPINION IS IN FAVOR...

SWF

THUK

*PAPER: PROPOSAL

KSH

KSH

KSH

KSH

WOOOK

RIVER OF ICE-NORD.

I OPPOSE.

TAK

!!

TOGEICE.

DUUUUN

I'M BACK HERE.

WHIRL

HE NEEDS MORE THAN FIELDWORK. HE NEEDS A PROPER EDUCATION IN MAGIC THEORY AND TECHNIQUE AT THE MANTINEL MAGIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

AAAUH!

HMM...

HE DOES LACK TRADITIONAL MAGIC LEARNING. NO DENYING THAT.

TCH チャ...

YES, HE WAS ACCEPTED. BUT IT WAS ONLY IN ONE ISOLATED VILLAGE.

JUMPING FROM THERE STRAIGHT TO EXPOSING THAT WALKING CAUSE FOR CONCERN TO THE WORLD WITHOUT ANY GUARANTEE HE'S 100 PERCENT SAFE? NO. IT'S TOO RISKY.

Whoa...

LIKE NOTHING EVEN HAPPENED.

JUST THE FACT THAT HE'S ACCOMPANIED BY AS SLOPPY AND IRRESPONSIBLE A WITCH AS DESSCARAS IS ENOUGH TO MAKE ME ANXIOUS.

ハァ UGH.....

...!

WITH ALL DUE RESPECT ...

...BECAUSE I HAVE FAITH IN YOUR DISCERNING EYE.

I APPROVED HIS INSTATE-MENT AS A WITCH...

SHIRA-BEDONNA.

BUT I HAVE NO SUCH FAITH IN HIM AS A PERSON.

WE ARE TALKING ABOUT A HUMAN AND NOT A DOG, CORRECT?

WASTE OF TIME. WITH HIS BREED, IT'S QUICKER TO LET HIM LOOSE OUT IN THE MOUNTAINS AND SAY, "FETCH, BOY!"

THAT IS PRECISELY WHY I SAY HE NEEDS PROPER TRAINING IN HOW TO BEHAVE AS A WITCH.

...HE ISN'T THE KIND OF CRITTER WHO'LL CALMLY SIT IN CLASS AND LISTEN TO SOMEBODY LECTURE HIM LIKE A GOOD BOY. GIVE HIM A BOOK AND HE'S JUST AS LIKELY TO USE IT FOR A CAMPFIRE TO COOK FISH.

GRR ギス

GRR ギス

GRR ギス

LET'S SAY "YES."

SAYS THE ONE WHO SCREWED UP HER OWN ENTRANCE! WHAT, WAS SAYING "I'M OPPOSED" AND SHOWING UP FACING THE OPPOSITE DIRECTION SUPPOSED TO BE A JOKE?

YOU ONLY SAY THAT BECAUSE YOU'RE INCAPABLE OF ANY NUANCED INSTRUCTION. I'D BE A MUCH BETTER TEACHER FOR HIM.

IT'S BEST TO HAVE HIM HUNT, HUNT, AND THEN HUNT SOME MORE!

REAL-WORLD PRACTICE!

LIAR!

ギス GRR

ギス GRR

ギス GRR

7/3 SIDE— PART ICHI

HE'LL BECOME A RESPECTABLE WITCH THAT WOULD MAKE ANYONE PROUD.

ALLOW ME TO SUPERVISE HIS INSTRUCTION. I SHALL BE STRICT AND THOROUGH.

BLEH!

PRACTICAL TRAINING.

PROPER EDUCATION.

PROPER EDUCATION.

PRACTICAL TRAINING.

ギリリリリリ GRRRRR

HE SHOULD UNDERGO AN EXAM AT THE RESEARCH CENTER AND THEN LEARN *MAGIC THEORY* IN A PROPER CLASS.

NO!

NOPE. NUH-UH. TOO CREEPY. HE NEEDS PRACTICAL, REAL-WORLD TRAINING. FREE-RANGE IS BEST!

HOW ABOUT WE DECIDE IT WITH A CONTEST?

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POIK

OKAY.

BUT IF ICHI ACQUIRES THE MAJIK BEFORE TOGEICE...

...WE'LL FORMALLY ACKNOWLEDGE HIS ABILITIES AND ANNOUNCE HIS EXISTENCE TO THE WORLD!

...THEN WE'LL SAY ICHI REQUIRES MORE TRAINING AND ENROLL HIM INTO AN EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM.

WE'LL MAKE IT THE NEXT MAJIK HUNT.

IF TOGEICE CAN ACQUIRE THE MAJIK FIRST...

GOOD! LET'S DO THAT!

OKAY?! OKAY!

決まり!!

CLAP
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WHAT? ...
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CLAP
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CLAP

WAH-CHOO!

HUM HUM DE DUM...

AND SO, AFTER MUCH DEBATE...

...THE CHALLENGE WAS DECIDED UPON WITHOUT ICHI ANY THE WISER.

YEAH.

ARE YOU OKAY, ICHI?

GOOD. LEMME MAKE IT WORSE.

WHAT, SICK?

すぴ SNRF

SMAK

BUBL

BUBL

HUM DE DOO...

TUP

TUP

OH WELL! THEY'LL ALL GO STRAIGHT FOR THE HUMAN-HATER MAJIKS, ANYWAY.

ぽわ PWUF

ぽわ PWUF

BOY, THE WOODS SURE HAVE BEEN NOISY LATELY.

ARE THERE SOME WITCHES RUNNING AROUND, MAYBE?

ぽわーん PWOOF

IT'S NOT MY PROBLEM!

WHY WOULD IT BE?

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DOOM

BOTH CONTESTANTS HAVE ARRIVED.

To be continued!

Ichi the Witch

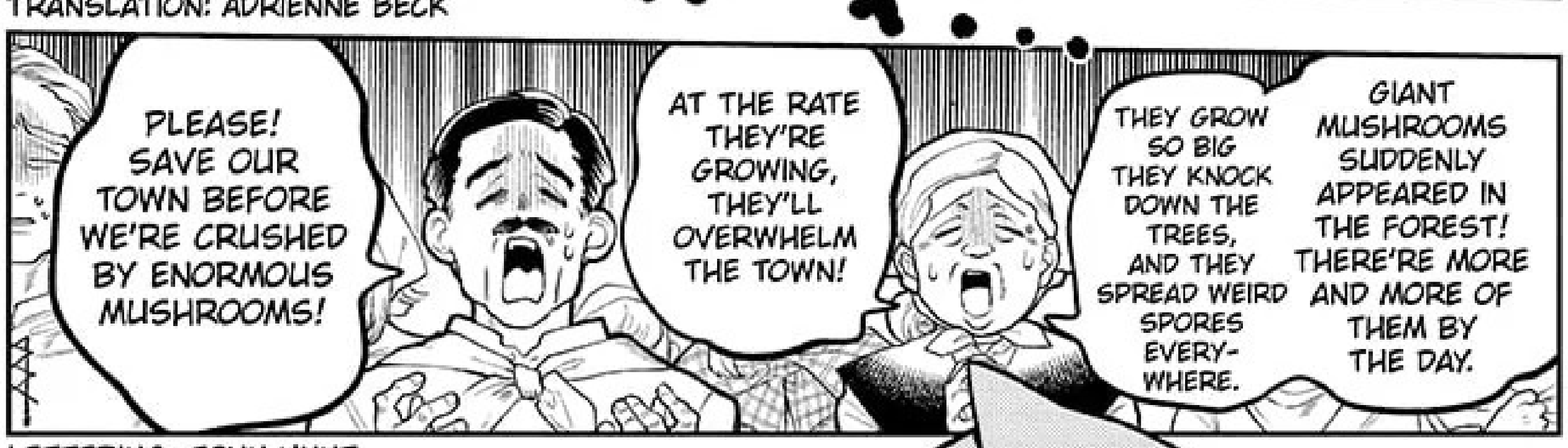
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MUSH-ROOMS!!

GIANT!!

WE'VE GOT SOME GREAT MUSH-ROOMS TO HARVEST!

HEY, KUMUGI! DO YOU LIKE YOUR MUSH-ROOMS GRILLED OR SAUTEED?

ほっほーう!!

WOOOW!

BOY, HOW MANY PEOPLE COULD THE CAP OR STEM OF JUST ONE OF THEM FEED?

THINK THEY'RE FLY AGARICS? *AMANITA CAESARE-OIDES*, MAYBE?

SHOULD'VE GOTTEN A CHILD HARNESS...

ICHI, THAT'S DANGER-OUS!

ACK!

BLIZZARD BLOWS-REGINA.

!

HNOO

AIEEE!

ZWRL

ZWRL

ZWRL

THAT'S QUITE THE EXCESSIVE CONFIDENCE ...

ZWIP

...ICHI THE WITCH.

TK

YOU ARE AWARE...

...THAT THIS IS A CONTEST. CORRECT?

THE MORE OF YOU I SEE, THE MORE I KNOW I'M RIGHT. SOMEONE AS CRUDE AND LACKADAISICAL AS YOU, A PUBLIC FACE OF MANTINEL?

Ughhh...

ZWRL

NO. UTTERLY UNACCEPT-ABLE.

TUP

...AND AS A MEMBER OF THE MANTINEL WITCHES' ASSOCIATION.

...YOU WILL BE ANNOUNCED TO THE WORLD AS THE FIRST MALE WITCH...

SHOULD YOU SOMEHOW MANAGE TO ACQUIRE THAT MUSHROOM MAJIK BEFORE I...

...YOU WILL PROMPTLY BE TRANSFERRED INTO THE ASSOCIATION'S SCHOOL, THE MANTINEL MAGIC SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, AND REGISTERED AT ITS RESEARCH FACILITY.

HOWEVER, IF I ACQUIRE THAT MAJIK FIRST...

...

ARE YOU PREPARED TO HANDLE IT?

YOUR FUTURE IS RIDING ON THIS CONTEST.

NEWS TO ME!

BY THE WAY...

I FIGURED IT'D BE QUICKER TO COME HERE AND SHOW YOU, INSTEAD OF TELLING...

I SEE SOMEONE "FORGOT" TO TELL ME THE DETAILS.

ALL I HEARD WAS THAT WE WERE HUNTING GIANT MUSHROOMS.

Cooking utensils

YOU WON'T.

BUT WHEN'LL I GO HUNTING?

SKRIBL

SKRIBL

SKRIBL

SKRIBL

SKRIBL

IN THREE YEARS, YOU SHOULD BE A PERFECTLY RESPECT-ABLE WITCH.

I'LL SPEND 12 HOURS A DAY, EVERY DAY, HAMMERING THE BASICS OF SPELL CASTING, MAGIC HISTORY, AND ALL OTHER ESSENTIAL SUBJECTS INTO YOUR HEAD.

...ONCE YOU'RE TRANS-FERRED INTO THE SCHOOL, I WILL PERSONALLY OVERSEE YOUR EDUCATION.

YOU WON'T.

FISH-ING?

Yikes...!

RAWR

I REFUSE!

I WILL?!

AND KUMUGI'LL TEACH ME MAGIC! I DON'T NEED YOU!

SO YOU'RE AWARE YOU'RE FERAL.

FERAL CHILDREN BELONG IN THE WOODS!

I HAVE FULL CONFIDENCE IN MY INABILITY TO SIT STILL FOR FIVE MINUTES STRAIGHT!

IS THIS ACCEPTABLE?

YEAH.

THE ONLY ONES ALLOWED TO ACQUIRE THE MAJIK ARE YOURSELF OR I.

THEN LET'S SETTLE THINGS, SHALL WE?

ADVICE AND ASSISTANCE FROM TEAM MEMBERS IS PERMISSIBLE.

DESSCARAS WILL BE ALLOWED TO ADVISE, BUT THAT'S IT.

LET'S GO.

WHRL

HAH

ENJOY YOUR LAST DAYS OF FREEDOM.

I'LL PROVE TO EVERYONE JUST HOW LACKING YOU ARE AS A WITCH.

...!

HEY, TOGEICE.

WHRL

LET'S GO.

SUPERBLY DONE, LADY TOGEICE!

LIKE NOTHING EVEN HAPPENED!

BAAAN

THE MUSH-ROOMS AREN'T OVER THERE.

Other way.

I MEAN, CHALLENG-ING MASTER TOGEICE OF ALL PEOPLE?!

B-B-BUT! UM! WHAT'RE WE GOING TO DO, ICHI?!

How could she not see the giant mushrooms? They're right there.

SIIIGH

SHEESH. SHE'S STILL JUST AS BAD WITH DIRECTIONS AS SHE WAS IN SCHOOL.

...IT'S NOT UNUSUAL FOR TWO HUNTERS TO TARGET THE SAME PREY.

BUT...

HUNTING IS TYPICALLY A ONE-ON-ONE MATCH BETWEEN HUNTER AND PREY.

IF DEATH FOR DEATH IS FULFILLED...

GULP
ゴク…
…
WEIRD.
…
ALL OF A SUDDEN, A PART OF ME FEELS REALLY BAD FOR LADY TOGEICE.
GRIN
I WILL NOT BE OUTDONE ON A HUNT.
…THEN THE OTHER HUNTER BECOMES THE HUNTED, THAT'S ALL.
PROVE THAT YOU'RE AN OUTSIDE DOG, NOT AN INSIDE ONE.
YOU'D BETTER GIVE THIS YOUR ALL.
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UGH…
BESIDES, I'M AN EXPERT AT MUSHROOM HUNTING!
A WHAT?
DON'T FORGET ME.
Hey!
Ms. Who…?
WE'RE GONNA GET THIS OVER AND DONE WITH SO I CAN MAKE MS. BIG-MOUTH MCKLUTZY-ICE KNEEL.

CHING

...

WHAT'S WRONG? AREN'T YOU COMING?

MUR ザワ

MUR ザワ

AH

ICHI!

YEAH...

ザワ MUR

ザワ MUR

HOITAKA FOREST.

AND...

LOOKS LIKE WE'RE UP AGAINST ANOTHER GAUDY MAJIK.

WELP.

SHINK

...SHE ISN'T EXACTLY TRYING TO BE SUBTLE, EITHER.

THAT'S MASTER TOGEICE FOR YOU! SHE KNOWS HER BASICS.

SKRIBL

SKRIBL

OOH!

DELINEATING A FIELD OF BATTLE IS A BASIC TENET OF MAJIK HUNTING.

THE MUSHROOMS' REPRO-DUCTION HAS SLOWED DOWN, AT LEAST.

KSH

KSH

TOGEICE USED HER MAGIC...

...TO MAKE A WALL OF ICE BLOCKING OFF THE TOWN.

I am Ichi the Witch!

THINK YOU MIGHT AS WELL ANNOUNCE YOURSELF TOO?

SHE'S PROBABLY HEADED DEEPER IN.

DON'T TELL ME INTRODUC-TIONS REALLY ARE NECESSARY EVERY TIME.

I BET SHE PLANS TO FREEZE 'EM ALL SOLID AND GET THE MAJIK FROM THERE.

IF IT HASN'T SHOWN ITSELF AFTER ALL THIS FUSS, IT'S PROBABLY ONE OF THE TIMID ONES...

Still...

...HM?

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TUP

Urf!

ZIP

LET ME GUESS. YOU'RE WITCHES!

I-I HAD NO IDEA YOU WERE HUMAN!

THE WAY YOU WERE JUST STANDING THERE MADE ME THINK YOU WERE A TREE!

A tree?!

HUFF! HUFF!

D-D-DON'T SUR-PRISE ME LIKE THAT!

HUFF! HUFF!

Ah!

THEN THAT MEANS YOU THREE...

OH. I SEE. IT'S THAT TIME ALREADY, HUH.

KOFF

ME?!

WE'RE HERE TO HUNT YOU!

H-H-HOW DARE YOU FREEZE SO MANY OF MY MUSHROOMS! W-WHAT DO YOU WANT?!

BLUNT!

NO. WE'RE THE EXTERMI-NATORS.

...ARE BIG FANS OF MINE!

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SHROOMY-SHROOOOM!

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カミーサマー

OUR HOLY SHROOM!

THEY'RE WORSHIPPED AS GODS! DOESN'T EVERYBODY OFFER UP THE HOLY RITUAL SHROOMY-SHROOM DANCE AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK?!

WOW.

SOUNDS FUN.

SHROOMY-SHROOM DANCE?

THAT MAKES NO SENSE.

PWUF

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THAT DOES IT.

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PWUF...

PLIP

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I HAD NO IDEA THAT MUSHROOMS WERE SO...SO UNLOVED...!

GRP

WHAT...?

ANYWAY, YOU'RE A NUISANCE, SO WE'RE ACQUIRING YOU.

SNIFL

IF YOU DON'T LOVE THEM...

...THEN I'LL MAKE YOU ALL INTO MYCELIUM MATS.

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지!!

SNRF

IT RAN INTO THE MUSHROOM FOREST!

SO, UH...

...WE HAVE TO LOOK FOR IT NOW?

THAT LITTLE THING...

...IN ALL THOSE MUSH-ROOMS?

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WAAA

...DOESN'T DESERVE TO LIVE!

ANYONE WHO DOESN'T WORSHIP MUSH-ROOMS ...

AAAH!!

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I AM THE KINDAKE MAJIK!

FOR MY TRIAL, YOU MUST CUT THIS STEM AND HARVEST ME!

THAT'S IF YOU CAN CATCH ME! I'M GONNA RUN, TURNING PEOPLE AND ANIMALS INTO MATS...

...AND SPREADING MUSH-ROOMS EVERY-WHERE I GO!

To be continued!

13th Hunt: The Silver Snow Witch





THE ICE BARRIER IS FULLY DEPLOYED.

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TEAM DESSCARAS MADE CONTACT WITH THE MAJIK!

MASTER TOGEICE!

JOOP

AS FOR THE TARGET MAJIK...

ACQUISITION METHOD IS TO SEVER THE VINE ATTACHED TO ITS BODY.

IT LOOKS LIKE THIS. HEIGHT, APPROXI-MATELY SIX INCHES.

Oh!
WAIT A MOMENT.
YES, MASTER!
I SEE. WELL DONE ON YOUR COVERT OPERATION.
YOU MAY STAND DOWN.
SWP
TUG
DIGNIFIED, DISCIPLINED, AND BEAUTIFUL AT ALL TIMES.
THAT MEANS MAINTAINING A NEAT AND TIDY APPEARANCE SO AS NOT TO SHAME THE MANTINEL WITCHES' ASSOCIATION'S NAME.
AM I UNDER-STOOD?
YES, MASTER!

Hmmm...

I WONDER HOW THIS CONTEST'S GONNA GO.

WHO DO YOU THINK IS GONNA CATCH THE MUSHROOM MAJIK FIRST?

GOOD QUESTION.

ICHI THE WITCH DOES BRING A UNIQUE PERSPECTIVE TO HUNTING MAJIKS.

YOU NEVER KNOW WHAT HE'LL DO NEXT, AND THAT MAKES HIM FASCINATING TO WATCH.

Mm-hm, mm-hm!

BUT...

...TOGEICE IS NO EASY OPPONENT TO DEFEAT.

FEW WERE SURPRISED WHEN THE TWO OF THEM BECAME THE YOUNGEST GIRLS IN MANTINEL'S HISTORY TO EARN THE TITLE OF FULL WITCH AT AGE 11.

SHE, LIKE DESSCARAS, HAS A NATURAL GIFT FOR MAGIC.

SHE SPECIALIZES IN ICE MAGIC, WITH 16 MAJIK ACQUISITIONS TO HER NAME.

BETWEEN DESSCARAS'S SHENANIGANS, AND TOGEICE'S UNENDING ATTEMPTS TO REIN HER IN, WE HADN'T A SINGLE DAY OF PEACE AND QUIET BACK THEN.

Not that we do now either...

WASN'T SHE 14 WHEN SHE INSTALLED THE ASSOCIATION'S MAGIC SECURITY SYSTEM?

...ABOUT THE GOOD OF THE MANTINEL WITCHES' ASSOCIATION.

TOGEICE CARES MORE THAN ANYONE...

SHIRABE-DONNA?

IF ANYTHING EVER HAPPENS TO ME...

...I THINK I'LL NOMINATE TOGEICE AS MY SUCCESSOR AS PRESIDENT OF THE MANTINEL WITCHES' ASSOCIATION.

IT'S HER WAY OF EXPRESSING HER LOYALTY AND CARE.

I BELIEVE SHE OPPOSED DEBUTING ICHI TO THE MAGIC WORLD...

...OUT OF CONCERN FOR HOW THAT WOULD AFFECT THE ASSOCIATION'S FUTURE.

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OHO!

OF ALL THE MANY MAGIC PRODIGIES WE HAVE...

DESSCARAS?

NO.

You aren't even interested.

WHAT ABOUT ME?

OUT OF THE QUESTION.

CONSIDERING HOW AH... FREE-WHEELING THE OTHER WITCHES ARE, I THINK SHE'D MAKE THE BEST CHOICE OF LEADER IN MY ABSENCE.

STUDIOUS. SERIOUS. HARDWORKING. THE LEAST EGOTISTICAL OF THEM ALL.

...SHE WAS THE MOST DEDICATED.

KIYOOO

THAT...

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FWIP

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KRK

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KRK

KRK

...IS THE SILVER SNOW WITCH.

CHIKUTOGE TOGEICE.

HULDRA!

SHINK

FFF

...FFF

VOOP

DIGNIFIED.
DISCIPLINED.
BEAUTIFUL.

AM I CLEAR?

EVERY-ONE.

オーオーオー

YES, MASTER!

SHE'S SOOO COOOOL!

FWIP

THOUGH, WELL...

...BUT TAKE HER LESSONS SERIOUSLY AND YOU WILL LEARN. HER STUDENTS LOVE HER.

SHE'S A STRICT TEACHER...

ZSH

FOOOO

KRAK

KRIK

KRISH

BAH

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HA

...SHE CAN BE A BIT OF A MEAT-HEAD IN COMBAT.

YES, MASTER!

WE FREEZE EVERY INCH OF THIS FOREST SOLID.

OKAY!

HOW'S ICHI THE WITCH GOING TO COUNTER THIS?

HEE

I CAN'T WAIT TO SEE.

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FWAAAAR

THEY'RE GETTING FROZEN OVER!

M-M-MY MUSH-ROOMS!

QUIVR

AND IF I DON'T HAVE ANYWHERE TO RUN...

THEY'RE TAKING AWAY ALL MY PLACES TO RUN!

OH NO, OH NO, OH NOOO! WHAT DO I DO?!

SHVR

SHVR

...TH-
THEN...

...HE...

...WILL
FIND
ME!

STMP

JOLT

STMP
STMP
STMP

WHEW...

STMP
STMP

GYAIEEE

ZNISH

FOUND YOU.

DOOM

HOW ?!

HOW?

SKF

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SKF

HOW DOES HE ALWAYS FIND ME, NO MATTER WHERE I HIDE?!

HFF-!!

I THOUGHT WITCHES WERE SUPPOSED TO BE MORE LIKE THAT...

...ATTACKING US WITH BIG, FLASHY SPELLS!

HFF

LOO

SO WHO!

THE HECK! IS HE?!

OOM

WE HAVE MUSHROOM SOUP.

TONIGHT.

OOOO

OOO

To be continued!

Ichi the Witch

14th Hunt: ???

IN THIS WORLD, MUSHROOM HUNTING...

...IS NO PLEASANT HIKE THROUGH THE WOODS.

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IT'S THE MOST DANGEROUS STROLL YOU COULD TAKE.

AND OTHERS WHOSE SPORES CAUSE IMMEDIATE BREATHING PROBLEMS WITH A SINGLE WHIFF.

THERE ARE MUSHROOMS THAT INSTANTLY INFLAME THE SKIN WITH ONLY A TOUCH.

...AND—TO BE BLUNT—YOU'LL DIE.

RANDOMLY GRAB ANY MUSHROOM YOU FIND...

...WITHOUT ANY IDEA WHAT YOU'RE DOING...

...IS TO BE PREPARED!

THE CRUCIAL THING TO KEEP IN MIND...

CHK

I NEARLY GOT MYSELF KILLED A DOZEN TIMES BEFORE MINAKATA TAUGHT ME HOW TO TELL SAFE MUSHROOMS FROM POISONOUS ONES.

COVER NOT JUST YOUR ARMS AND LEGS, BUT YOUR EYES AND MOUTHS TOO!

SHWIP

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GRUUUUUZ

ギャキャキャキ

...IS A BAD PLAN.

Hmph.

STOMPING AND THRASHING AROUND NEAR MUSH-ROOMS...

URRRGH...

BLEE

RGH

HFF

HFF

HFF

...MASTER TOGEICE...

WE... BEG YOUR FORGIVE-NESS...

SPORES THAT ARE STRONG ENOUGH TO PUNCH THROUGH STANDARD PROTECTIVE SPELLS?

THIS MAJIK IS MORE POWERFUL THAN I...

FOCUS YOUR EFFORTS ON HEALING YOUR-SELVES.

NAUSEA. DIZZINESS. IRRITATED SKIN ON THE ARMS AND LEGS.

WE HAD A PROTECTIVE BARRIER UP, BUT...

HFF

HFF

HFF

POK

BLORP

MASTER TOGEICE!

!!

FREEZE TO DEATH— DURANDALA.

THUK

KRUK

KISH!

THAT DOES IT.

SLIMY, CLINGY, AND UTTERLY INELEGANT.

I'M THROUGH BEING GENTLE.

THIS MAJIK NEEDS TO BE TAKEN DOWN IN ONE GO.

AND FAST.

NOW.

THE PROBLEM IS THAT IT'S QUICK...

...AND IT'S HARD FOR US TO MOVE FAST IN OUR PROTECTIVE GEAR.

THE REST COMES DOWN TO SPEED AND TIMING.

I CAN SPOT THE PLACES IT'S LIKELY TO HIDE PRETTY EASILY.

DAMP NOOKS. THE BASES OF TREES MUSHROOMS LIKE TO GROW ON.

TRACKING IT DOWN WON'T BE ALL THAT DIFFICULT.

SKF

AAAAA

SKF

HFF

HFF

...WE SET A TRAP!

WHICH MEANS...

Eesh...

DUN

?!

I NEED TO ASK SOMETHING OF YOU!

KUMUGI!

ME?

HFF...

HFF...

WEEZ

WEEZ

HUFF

HUFF

MAYBE THEY REALLY DO ALL DESERVE TO GET TURNED INTO MYCELIUM MATS!

ARE ALL HUMANS LIKE THAT?

BUT I DON'T NEED THAT INTENSE A STALKER, THANKS!

I DO WANT TONS OF FOLLOW-ERS!

THAT... THAT HUNTING HORROR! THAT MUSHROOM-MURDERING MANIAC!

FLUFFY. SOFT. WITH LOTS OF MUSH-ROOMS AROUND.

あ AAAH... あ お...

A PEACEFUL, QUIET PLACE TO SLEEP IS ALL... I...

SOME-WHERE IT'S SAFE TO SLEEP.

BUT FIRST, I NEED SOMEWHERE I CAN REST.

TOTR

WOBL

MWAAAN

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...WANT...

Oh my...!

IT...

IT...

ROOTS.

DEAD LEAVES.

FALLEN LOGS.

A DAMP, GLOOMY HOLLOW IN THE GROUND.

HUMID. LOTS OF DEAD BRANCHES.

AAHN!

A MUSHROOM COULDN'T ASK FOR A BETTER BED TO GROW IN!

IT'S PERFECT!

GLEEEEM

IS THE MOST LUXURIANT BED EVER!

THIS BED!

THE REEK OF ROTTING VEGETA-TION! THE DANK, GLOOMY AIR!

OH-WOW!

MISH

I'LL GROW ALL KINDS OF MUSH-ROOMS. TURN THIS INTO THE BEST MUSH-ROOM BED-

BITTIECAPS BY THE ROOTS.

OOH. RED-CAPPED MUSHROOMS ON THIS BRANCH. PURPLE SPORES UNDER THE LEAVES WOULD LOOK LOVELY TOO.

DOOM-SPORES.

HAA

ICHI!

HOLLOW-TAP FUNGI TOO!

HAA

DSH

...I'LL USE THE LEG-BOOSTER BOOTS TO STRIKE FAST!

I' BOUGHT 'EM.

THE INSTANT THE MAJIK IS CAUGHT...

...TO PURE SPEED!

IT ALL COMES DOWN...

WE GET ONLY ONE SHOT!

SHVR

BLOOD-LUST?!

WHAT THE...?

SHUNK

ON THE HONOR OF THE MANTINEL WITCHES SOCIETY, I WILL HAVE IT!

...!

ICHI, HURRY!

CUT THE VINE!

WSH

THAT MAJIK IS MINE TO ACQUIRE!

AAAHM!

!!

HELGANMA.

SWALLOW IT WHOLE AND FREEZE IT SOLID.

STMP

FOOSH

?!

WHERE ARE YOU GOING ?!

AAAA

IT WASN'T THEM.

FWAAA

OOOO

THAT COLD SHUDDER I FELT.

THAT SUDDEN, EXTREME BLAST OF BLOODLUST.

SHIGG



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KANG

YOU.

YOU'RE A MAJIK.

ヒュッ WHIP

TUP ド

To be continued!

YOU.

YOU'RE A MAJIK.

Ichi the Witch

15th Hunt: S-Tier Majik Warning

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Ichi

the Witch

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YO.

HRORO.

ZOOF

スパーン

ZSSS

...

IS THIS SOME NEW GAME OF YOURS?

WHAT HAPPENED? WHY ARE YOU LIKE THAT?

...

NO.

...

DEPLORABLE.

THEY'RE LITERALLY THE LAST ONE IN THE WHOLE WORLD I WANTED TO RUN INTO.

I TRIED TO LIE LOW AND COVER ALL SIGNS OF MY PRESENCE SO THEY WOULDN'T NOTICE, BUT...

YOU KNOW THEM?

TCH

UNFOR-TUNATELY.

ACQUIRED?

I SWEAR! NOT A SINGLE GOOD THING HAS HAPPENED SINCE YOU ACQUIRED ME!

AUGH!

I'M NOT A NUT.

...NOOO! SOME FERAL IDIOT'S DUMB BLOODLUST RADAR HAD TO GO OFF! WHY'D YOU RUN TOWARD THEM INSTEAD OF AWAY, YOU NUTCASE?!

BY THAT LITTLE MOUSE?

YOU, URORO?

!

VIUUM

YOU, MOUSE.

AN UNUSUAL BIOLOGICAL RESPONSE.

AH. YOU REACT TO BLOOD-LUST?

WHAT DO YOU SEE?

LOOK AT ME.

...

CHING

I SEE DEATH.

HOW MANY PEOPLE HAVE YOU KILLED?

TELL ME.

VNOM

WHAT'S THAT?!

!

TCH!


OOOOOOOOOO
WHERE ARE WE?
!


I SAW ICHI DASH OFF SOMEWHERE FOR WHO KNOWS WHAT REASON.
THEN MASTER TOGEICE SHOWED UP...
...FROZE THE MUSHROOM MAJIK, AND ACQUIRED IT. AND THEN...


WHEN DID WE GET HERE? AND WHAT IS THAT DOME?
I HAVE NO IDEA...!
EEP!

...THE NEXT THING I KNEW, IT FELT LIKE WE'D BEEN BOUNCED OFF OF SOMETHING.

ナニ!!

VWIP

SKOPIA.

ONLY US WITCHES AND THE CADETS WERE KICKED OUT?

THE VILLAGERS ARE ALL STILL WITHIN THE DOME.

DESSCARAS, THIS...

...!!

THAT BARRIER.

TOP

!

DESS-CARAS!

COME BACK-

R-----ING

CALM DOWN, TOGEICE. LISTEN CAREFULLY.

THIS IS TOGEICE. WE JUST ENCOUN-TERED AN ENTIRELY UNFORE-SEEN...

MASTER MONE-GOLD!

TOGEICE! ANSWER ME!

AN S-TIER MAJIK WARNING.

!

I'M ISSUING CODE 00.

...IN OTHER WORDS, IN 15 MINUTES...

ON THE SIXTH DAY OF THE SIXTH MONTH, AT 45 MINUTES PAST THE SECOND HOUR...

WE JUST RECEIVED A PROPHECY FROM THE ASSOCIATION'S ORACLE.

AN S-TIER MAJIK?!

...THE EASTERN TOWN OF HOITAKA AND ITS SURROUNDINGS WILL BE WARPED OUT.

WE KNOW NOTHING ABOUT IT. NOT ITS POWER. NOT ITS ACQUISITION TRIAL. NOT EVEN WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE.

YES. *THAT* MAJIK.

THEN ...!

WARPED OUT?!

...AND WITH ABSOLUTELY NO WARNING...

ALL WE KNOW IS THAT IT APPEARED 15 YEARS AGO...

THE ASSOCIATION'S GREATEST ENEMY— WE'VE BEEN HUNTING IT FOR YEARS.

IF URORO IS THE "KING MAJIK," THEN THIS ONE AND ITS ABILITY TO CARVE OUT AND WARP CHUNKS OF THE WORLD...

...IS THE *GOD MAJIK.*

WE NAMED IT...

GEHZO

...WAS WARPED OUT IN THE BLINK OF AN EYE.

...A CHUNK OF MOUNTAIN THREE MILES IN DIAMETER, INCLUDING TWO TOWNS...

...THE WORLD-HATER MAJIK.

HOW MANY PEOPLE HAVE I KILLED.

YOU ASKED ME A QUESTION EARLIER.

YOU MISSPOKE. YOU SHOULD'VE ASKED...

...HOW MANY AM I *GOING* TO KILL.

THAT MAJIK IS NO JOKE. WE NEED TO GET FAR AWAY, AND FAST.

!

ZUSS

KID.

ACTIVATE ME. NOW.

UNDERSTOOD?

WE'VE GOTTA GET OUT OF HERE BEFORE SOMETHING– OR SOMEONE– TRIGGERS IT.

ONE WRONG MOVE AND I'LL WIND UP VAPORIZED RIGHT ALONG WITH YOU.

SO IT *IS* A MAJIK.

WAIT.

YOU'RE NOT GONNA-

YOU THERE! MAJIK!

RAWR

MY NAME IS ICHI!

CHK

ICHI THE WITCH!

AND I'M GOING TO HUNT YOU!

I HOPE YOU'RE READY!

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A MALE WITCH?

HNOOOO

EZZ

ZZZZOOO

I'LL GIVE HIM THE SCOLDING OF HIS LIFE! I PROMISE! SO LET US GO?

Deal? Deal!

HE REALLY IS JUST A DUMB, KNOW-NOTHING KID.

HEY, UHH, HA HA! PAY HIM NO MIND, OKAY?

Aha ha ha!

YOU BRAIN-LESS IDIOT! HOW STUPID ARE YOU?!

AAUGH!

NOW IT'S YOUR TURN!

THERE! I INTRO-DUCED MYSELF!

MRPH

HEY! I'M NOT "DUMB-

TRANSLATION: ADRIENNE BECK LETTERING: JOHN HUNT

IT'S OF LITTLE CONSE-QUENCE.

HUH?

Hmph.

WHATEVER.

IF YOU DON'T WANT TO BE ERASED, GET OUT.

HRORO.

This isn't how I was told it goes!

ZU

VNUM

I'M ABOUT TO BEGIN.

CRACKING

BO-
BONG

SHVR

VOOOSH

LANCEMEN.

ADVANCE.

CHING

BLAFF

THM

BLOOSH

ザ ZBLOOOOO バ バ バ バ バ バ

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ZLORB



THOSE THINGS WARP-OUT EVERY-THING THEY TOUCH.

THAT'S AN ADVANCING LINE OF DEATH.

NO MERCY, EH? THAT NUT-CASE.

Feh! ザバババババ ZBLOOO

THE WORLD IS ENDING!

ティ EEEEEK

RUN! RUUUN!

AAAAA

MONSTERS !!

GYAAAA!

BAM

BAM

WE CAN'T GET THROUGH!

ザワ YAMR

WHERE'D THIS WALL COME FROM?!

ザワ YAMR

WHAT THE?!

PLEASE, LET US THROUGH!

LET THE CHILDREN OUT FIRST!

LET US OUT!

HEEELP!

WE CAN'T GET OUT?!

ㄱㄱㄱㄱㄱㄱㄱㄱ AAAAAAAA

ooooo ooo

OKAY, KID. AS DUMB AS YOU ARE, EVEN YOU HAVE TO REALIZE THAT OVER THERE IS BAD. RIGHT?

SOUNDS LIKE THE VILLAGERS HAVE NOTICED.

HMPH

JUST ACTIVATE ME ALREADY...

USE LAZUD. USE INAZURI. I DON'T CARE WHICH.

AT THIS RATE, WE'RE BOTH TOAST!

...AND GET ME OUTTA...

GLEEM

SHNAA

AAH.

FINALLY DECIDED TO ATTEMPT TO LEAVE, LITTLE MOUSE?

...

NO.

...THINKING THAT I COULDN'T POSSIBLY DIE.

NEVER IN MY LIFE HAVE I GONE INTO ANY HUNT...

IT'S ALL THE SAME.

...OR A WOLF.

OR ANY OTHER, MORE VICIOUS ANIMAL.

IT DIDN'T MATTER IF I HUNTED A RABBIT...

ALL THERE IS...

...IS THE PURE DESIRE TO KILL.

...DEATH HAS NO SIZE.

WHEN IT'S DEATH FOR DEATH...

...MY HEART LEAPT.

LOOKING BACK...

...THAT INSTANT OUR EYES MET...

GLITR

AAH, I WANT TO HUNT!

YOU. THOSE MON-STERS.

I WANT TO HUNT YOU ALL!

?!

GLITR

YOU'RE MASSIVE! YOU'RE CHALLENGING! YOU'RE CREATURES I'VE NEVER SEEN BEFORE!

CLINT

YOU MAJIKS ARE ALWAYS SURPRISING ME.

I CAN'T THINK OF A MORE EXHILARAT-ING HUNT...

...THAN THIS!

FWASH

HNOO

BRR!

NOW WHAT ?!

SNOW ?

NO.

A GLOWING... FISH?

URORO AMPLIFICATION!

¡NOW!

¡ATAQUE!

URUWASHI!

WHOOM

OOOO

To be continued!