COULDN'T WE HAVE PICKED AN EARLIER TIME FOR THIS?

...HOW ABOUT THE FACT THAT YOUR DRUG CULTIVATION FACILITIES WERE ATTACKED BY SOMEONE?

DO YOU KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT WHO WAS BEHIND IT?

NOPE, NOT AT ALL...

STILL, THAT JUST MEANS IT'S NOT HARD TO IMAGINE WHO DID IT.

WHICH COLOR WAS IT?

I SEE.

THEN, THAT'S HOW IT IS, EVERYONE.

I ONLY JUST FIGURED IT OUT MYSELF - DO YOU THINK I'D HAVE THE TIME TO LEARN THAT MUCH?

I HAVE NO IDEA.
DO YOU THINK ALL THE TRASH YOU'VE GATHERED CAN PROTECT YOU?

HOW ABOUT HIRING US?

IT'S NOT LIKE WE NEED TO TELL YOU WHERE OUR KEY LOCATIONS ARE EITHER.

AH, THERE'S NO NEED.

NO NEED FOR THAT.
HEAD OF EIGHT FINGERS SECURITY DIVISION:

COCCODOL

- IN THAT CASE,

I'D LIKE TO TAKE THAT OFFER UP ON HER BEHALF.

Huh, COCCODOL.

ALSO, I'D LIKE SOMEONE OF SIX ARMS' LEVEL...

BUT OF COURSE, ZERO.

CAN YOU PAY?

ONE OF THE ELITE OF THE ELITE
OVERLORD

SORRY ABOUT THAT...

HO... THINGS HAVE GOTTEN THAT BAD, HUH?

THERE'S SOME TROUBLE INVOLVING A WOMAN WHO SHOULD HAVE BEEN DISPOSED OF.

THINGS WILL BE VERY DIFFICULT FOR ME IF THAT ESTABLISHMENT GOES DOWN.

CAN YOU ARRANGE FOR SOMEONE RIGHT AFTER THE MEETING ENDS? THE FACT IS, THERE'S SOMETHING I'D LIKE YOU TO DO IMMEDIATELY.

I BROUGHT SOMEONE ALONG WITH ME. I'LL LEND HIM TO YOU.

GOT IT.

IN THAT CASE,

LET'S MOVE ON TO THE NEXT TOPIC.
A new Adamantite-rank adventurer team has been founded.

Does anyone know anything about Momon from darkness, or made contact with him?
THERE JUST ISN'T ENOUGH MONEY...

Clank

Clank

NOT ENOUGH...

HAAAH...

DEPRESSION...
Next, we have...

The money needed to pay for Cocytus' expenses incurred while rebuilding the lizardman village and covering the costs of items used...

For starters, these are additional funds for Sebas.

But...

Of course, this is quite a sizeable sum in itself...

Requests from a sponsor who asks for me by name ought to be easy, and they should pay well too. But...

Perhaps the best option would be to find a merchant to act as a sponsor.

The plan to make Ainz Ooal Gown an Eternal Legend will go to waste.

“Hell, go anything for money.”

When I think about what would happen if the adventurer Nogon gains a reputation...
OVERLORD

However, as the only Adamantine-rank adventurer in town:

There's no need to stay in a place like this after all...

Still... I have no money

My reputation will be diminished if I stay in some self-service hostel...

Ah—I'm broke...

Speaking of which

While the guild would probably arrange a room for me if I asked them...

Owing them a favor at a time like this would mess up the plan of making them indebted to me...

Grumble.

In the end, you still need to pay an honest wage for honest work...

While they all say that serving me is the greatest possible reward

What about the Guardians' salaries?
HOW EXACTLY SHOULD I PAY THEM?

I'M STILL STUMPED ...

THE PROBLEM IS

IN OTHER WORDS, I NEED TO PAY THE SIX OF THEM...

THEN THERE'S ALBEDO AND OTHERS...

SHALLTEAR, COCYTUS, AURA, MARE, DEMILURGE,

ASSUMING THE GUARDIANS DRAW A SALARY COMPATIBLE TO HIGH-END DEPARTMENT HEADS, THAT WOULD MEAN AN ANNUAL INCOME OF 15 MILLION YEN.

...MM, NOPE. I CAN'T MAKE THAT MUCH MONEY.

O WAYS OF SPENDING

AS FOR HOW THEY'RE GOING TO BE USED...

PAPER CURRENCY, ONLY USABLE WITHIN NAZARIK... ALL I NEED TO DO IS SET THE VALUE OF EACH BILL AT 100,000 YEN!

STILL ...

THAT'S IT! I'LL PAY THEM IN ANOTHER WAY!

NAZARIK'S FACILITIES ARE ALL FREE OF CHARGE...

CLATTER
I'M TALKING TO MYSELF MORE OFTEN NOW.

I...

EVER SINCE THE OTHERS STOPPED COMING...

IN YGGDRASIL, I STARTED TALKING TO MYSELF MORE OFTEN.

HAS IT BECOME A HABIT?

OR ...

Is it because I'm still alone, after all this time...
WELL, SAYING I'M ALONE WOULD BE DOING THE GUARDIANS A DISERVICE.

Sigh...

Perhaps

I MIGHT HAVE TO KILL OFF SUZUKI SATORU...

IN ORDER TO PLAY THE ROLE OF THE PERSON WHO UNITED THE 41 SUPREME BEINGS.

KNOCK

KNOCK
WHAT IS IT, NABE?

YES, MOMONSA...

SAN.
AHHH, NO NEED TO BOW FOR THAT.

IT'S FINE, I GUESS. SO WHAT IS IT NOW?

YES - THIS CONCERNS YOUR ORDERS TO GATHER ORES FROM VARIOUS TRADERS.

IT HAS BEEN DONE, MOMONSAN.

DON'T TELL ME YOU'VE GOTTEN IT WRONG SO MANY TIMES THAT IT'S BECOME A HABIT...

MY APOLOGIES, BUT I DID NOT ASK THEM ABOUT THAT.

WHERE DID THE ORES COME FROM? DID YOU GET SAMPLES FROM ALL EIGHT LOCATIONS?

IS THAT SO...

THUD

FORGET IT.

EVEN IF YOU DON'T KNOW HOW MANY LOCATIONS THEY CAME FROM, THERE SHOULD BE ENOUGH MONEY TO BUY THEM ALL, NO?
THE EXCHANGE BOX:
OBJECTS PLACED WITHIN IT
WILL BE CONVERTED TO THEIR
EQUIVALENT VALUE IN
YGGDRASIL GOLD COINS.
(aka. THE SHREDDER)

I'M GOING TO
THROW THEM
INTO THE
EXCHANGE
BOX...

SIMPLY PUT, I
WANT TO SEE
THE DIFFERENCE
IN THE AMOUNT
WE EARN AS
WE GO FROM
LOCATION TO
LOCATION.

WE HAD TO PUT IN A
HUGE QUANTITY
BEFORE WE GOT
A SINGLE GOLD
COIN...

IF WE USE THE
GOLEMS TO
MASS-PRODUCE
IT... THAT SAID,
THERE'S A WHOLE
MOUNTAIN OF
PROBLEMS
WE HAVE TO
OVERCOME
FIRST...

IF THAT HAPPENS...
YOU KNOW
WHAT TO
DO, RIGHT?

THERE'S A
NON-ZERO
POSSIBILITY
THAT YOU
MIGHT GET
ATTACKED.

AHH, DON'T
FORGET TO
BE EXTRA
CAREFUL.

NABE, YOU
SHOULD
KNOW THAT
WE DID THE
SAME THING
EARLIER WITH
WHEAT.

I UNDERSTAND.

THEY'RE
ALWAYS
ATTACKING.

ALTHOUGH,
MAY I ASK A
QUESTION?

WHY ARE
WE BUYING
ALL THESE
ORES?
I shall use the shadow demon as a shield and retreat with all my might.

When that happens,

I will teleport to Nazarick in order to deceive the enemy.

Without thinking about learning about the opposition.

Very good.

Pay attention to your safety. Do not take routes where you can be easily attacked.

Naturally, shedding murderous intent is right out.

And don't call humans insects or whatever.

Do not hurt or kill them.

Also, even if humans annoy you,

This is because we are
THE FAMOUS ADVENTURERS KNOWN AS DARKNESS:

MOMON AND NABE.

UMU.

THAT IS ALL.
GO THEN, NABE.
...I have to spend even more

When I don’t have money...

...what a pain.

Several days earlier

The royal capital of Re-Estize

Main road
I twisted my ankle on my way home...

Is something the matter?

A-ah, no, if you help me, good sir...

It seems you are in distress.

Is there something I can do to help?

While I could heal her with my qigong...

Hmm...

It is only natural to aid those in trouble.

Please, do not be worried.
THEN I SHALL HELP YOU ALONG THE WAY. MAY I TROUBLE YOU TO GUIDE ME?

BUT OF COURSE.

RUSTLE

REALLY? IS IT ALL RIGHT!?!

SAVING THOSE IN TROUBLE IS COMMON SENSE.
MAGICIAN'S GUILD HEADQUARTERS

WELCOME TO THE MAGICIAN'S GUILD,

SEBASSAMA.
I WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE A SPELL SCROLL.

MAY I SEE THE USUAL CATALOGUE?

UNDERSTOOD.

slide


click
I shall entrust it to you.

This is a magic item that allows you to comprehend written languages.

Is something the matter?

Ah, no...

I simply thought that your reading posture was quite elegant...
Floating Board is a 1st-tier spell. It creates a translucent floating platform. The platform’s maximum load-bearing capacity varies with the caster’s mana. If cast from a scroll, it would produce a platform 1 meter on each side, with a carrying capacity of up to 50 kilograms.
I shall take a scroll of this spell.

Understood.

Then.

It is fundamentally a spell used for transporting cargo and is often employed in landscaping and earthworks.

One can also have it follow oneself around.

Here it is.

That scroll is one of a 1st-tier spell.

It will cost 1 gold and 10 silver.

I have received the amount in question.

Indeed, this is the scroll in question.
THAT UNCLE IS SOOOO COOL~

Hmm, he looks like he's had experience serving a great noble...

mm, mm, I'd go too! I'd go for sure!

if he asked me out for tea, I'd definitely say yes!

Ehhhh- she might look pretty, but that's only on the outside.

I want to meet that beautiful girl who accompanied him back then-

his bearing and posture are immaculate... and he seems widely-read. Could he be a magic caster?

mm, I feel sorry for Sebas-san.

she was totally ordering him around.

he might be, given how he's bought all these recently-developed spells.
RIGHT, THAT'S ENOUGH CHATTER.

I'VE EXCEEDED MY ALLOTTED TIME...

INFORM SOLUTION THAT I'LL BE A LITTLE LATE.

SHADOW DEMON.

THAT IS ALL.
I'LL WALK HERE TODAY.

NOW THEN ...

WHILE I WASN'T SPECIFICALLY ORDERED TO DO SO, I SHOULD GET A FEEL FOR THE ROYAL CAPITAL'S LAYOUT.
SEEMS I'M QUITE SOME DISTANCE AWAY FROM THE HOMEBASE.

WHILE I WANT TO CONTINUE WALKING...

I SHOULD GO BACK.

AT THE VERY LEAST, I SHOULD SEE WHAT LIES AHEAD OF ME.
I SHOULD GO

sliding open