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Issue II

When we left our adventures, they were in the town of Falcon Haven having saved the wagon train from certain doom. The halfling and her grumpy samurai sidekick, having finished their pub crawl, rejoined the party. Keetha soon joined them. While checking out Kain but trying to look like she wasn't checking him out, She let them know the so called mercenaries had bribed an official at the traders guild to get the job. She assured them the official in question will be punished. Unknown to her, handsy the halfling decided to steal Keetha's purse/pouch with all her belongings. After examining it, they discovered a signet ring with a Falcon carrying a sword. The insignia was not one they recognized. That and some coins.

A little later they returned the pouch and Tansey was chastised for stealing from a friend. She apologized and promised not to do it again. Yeah, we'll see how long that lasts. Keetha was not happy but let it go with a dirty look at the halfling. Clearly, she didn't appreciate someone stealing from them. They ate, drank and slept.

They set out the next day but the mother of all storms hit and was she ever cranky! (don't you hate it when you mom gets cranks?). So, discretion being the better part of valor (that and the desire not to get wet!) made the party decide to wait another day. Meanwhile handsy the halfling checked with her contacts at the thieves guild. (of course when they asked what's the password, she replied what's a password? But they let her in anyway) there she learned this wild magic thing has been going on for about 6 months. It supposedly started in the north at a certain mountain pass. Also, the Roc with a rock has been dropping random rocks about that same amount of time or at least that's what the man side. At least according to her contact.

They set out yet again, this time is was sunshine and roses and a lot of mud. And so, after a day's travel, they settled in for the night. However, they were in pixie country. That night the pixies came out. Much to Kain's dismay as his hair turned pink courtesy of a pink pixie. Tansey wanted her hair pink so the pixie obliged. Then they stuck around as someone offered to play dice with them. They played with the dice alright by causing them to grow to man (or woman sized proportions and dance around much to the halfling's delight!

Unfortunately, the festivities were cut short by a group of gnolls. Well they dispatched the gnolls forthwith (Fifthwith even) and proceeded to get a long rest which took then until mid-afternoon. They then completed the journey and arrived in the capitol city of Wundagore. They were met by the captain of the guard Torvil who quickly escorted them to see Queen Marlena and her three oldest daughters. Crown princess Khatera and the twins. Well the oldest set of twins. Known as ac and dc (well that's what the people call them but never to their face) the younger redheads were checking out B and Kain likes sides of beef. They were practically licking their chops.

Kain introduced the party to the queen. She looked them over and decided they might be adequate. She told them Katherine the royal enchantress is running late (as usual apparently). The petite brunette entered apologizing. Of course, the queen just smiled and said it was ok. Katherine was checking out the crown princess while trying to look like she wasn't and Khatera was doing the same. (lot of that going around). She explained that someone is draining the magic from the world. If it is not stopped, the world will tear itself apart. And in answer to the halflings question, no she couldn't tell where. It was coming from. Her scrying mirror wasn't powerful enough. She had a more powerful one on order. Could they please pick it up? Well Grumpy seemed to have a problem with this. She felt it was a waste of time and wanted to go after the person who was doing this. Never mind that they didn't have a starting point. Katherine gave her the look of doom but let grumpy know if she didn't want to be nice and do Katherine this little favor, she didn't have to. Grumpy continued her tirade but eventually calmed down. They agreed to adjourn for the night and partake of the sumptuous meal provided meal proved by the queen and then adjourn to the Laughing Dragon Inn which was owned by Kain's parents.

