

towards the forest, Crookshanks following close behind. Harry watched until the pair were no longer visible.

What on Earth did that mean? Could it really be an omen of death, if Crookshanks could see it too? Maybe it was just a regular dog after all. Or maybe Crookshanks could see death omens too, and this quidditch match was about to be Harry's last.

He forced himself away from the window, wiping his clammy hands on his trousers. It was probably nothing. Cats couldn't see Grims, even cats as smart as Crookshanks seemed to be. There were all sorts of creatures living in the forest, why couldn't there be a dog, too?