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Chapter 611

In Skyward Aluminum Co., Ltd.

The atmosphere was suffocating.

Expressionlessly, Conrad took the main seat and slammed his palm on the table, frightening the senior executives who shuddered in fear.

"Are all of you useless? I spend a few millions each year on you and you're telling me none of you have a single plan when someone is trying to acquire our company?!

"They've just made their move and you guys are already frantic? How do you expect me to believe in your abilities from now on, huh?"

Conrad's reprimand echoed in the meeting room, and everyone looked down silently.

No one dared to meet their boss' eyes at such a critical time.

Conrad's sinister eyes swept through the meeting room before they finally fell on a balding middle-aged man.

"Benjamin, you're the manager of the investment department. This is part of your business scope. I want a report written right away and given to me today, or you can go to the Human Resources Department, finalize your salary, and leave."

Benjamin looked distressed as he spoke, "Please calm down first, Mr. Monty.

"There's something strange with the funds that were used to increase our company's share price this time. The evidence we have on hand shows that these funds were from Harbor City, not the Mainland.

"So I've been wondering if our share price rising to the limit is a result of an investor who decided to enter the market to benefit from it, seeing how JW and Haddock are going to team up and acquire."

Benjamin's words had everyone's eyes shining with hope.

caused by Jasper and Haddock, so they had

was true, then the nature of the

who bought those shares, as long

aloud, "Not bad. This

continued to speak, "If that's the case, then the situation is much better. Despite being faced with a forceful acquisition, I

currently hold 40% of the company's shares, Mr. Monty. Southeast Province Mining Co., Ltd holds another 30%, leaving 30% more in the stock market. This is the

or negotiate with Southeast

than 50% of shares in hand, Mr. Monty. Because even if Jasper manages to buy all the shares and becomes one of our shareholders, what can he

"Nothing.

hard work only to advertise for us in the end. Plus, if we manage to buy our shares

...

to retaliate, Jasper was currently on

we've spent 1.2 billion

of around 30 billion. This purchase was not unnecessarily

tomorrow. Buy as many shares as you can.

like he was broke after reincarnation, Jasper could

Aluminum in advance, but he had also promised to give Jasper a 1% commission after

a market price of 30 billion was

the loss the real estate company

was a condition that was already agreed upon, Jasper was very

realized that Conrad currently has the most shares. He has a total of 40%, while the remaining 60%

Ltd's support to take their 30% of shares or it won't be enough for us to acquire it just by buying the

only allows a maximum purchase of 22%. The remaining 8% are in the hands of countless retailers so it's impossible to buy

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"If that's the case, I can get rid of one of them first, then."

Jasper smiled and sent Dawson a message.

Since the beginning, neither Jasper nor Dawson had found the Hanks family's tricks worth their attention.

With the power they held now, it was not a difficult feat to completely destroy the Hanks family.

The Hanks family only became a tough nut to crack when Conrad was there supporting them.

Now with the Law family giving them trouble at Harbor City, Jasper and Dawson's plan could immediately begin.

"Are you sending me back to the hotel?" Henry asked.

"Do you still have more work to do?" Jasper asked curiously.

Henry chuckled and waved his phone. "I know a few beauties in every single place I've been to before, so I can contact them at any time."

"Your dad said that the playground project at the Southface River will be done soon. He wants you to

thing about construction. As to what the workers are doing, who am

but what about the quality specifications, the final checking, and the financial aspects? You need to at least know something, don't you? Else, you'll be

sure you're much more aware than I am of

controlling my every second

Henry at the hotel, Jasper

had a mirthful smile on his face

out a thick stack of documents from his briefcase and smiled widely at Jasper. "It's done. We've bought all of their debt contracts.

the thick stack of

the reason behind

previously signed a total of 48 sales businesses. I found 38 of them today,

the Hanks family's loyal partners, so they're not worth us using such a large amount of money to bribe them

of 2.7 billion worth

hundred million

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Jasper had spent 4.8 billion to buy 10% of Skyward Aluminum's shares.

In truth, Skyward Aluminum had no more than a market price of 30 billion. The only reason it cost 4.8 billion to buy 10% of its shares was that 1.8 billion was spent on acquisition premium.

In other words, they had benefitted retail investors who decided to jump on the bandwagon.

Not that Jasper cared, since he was spending Gale's money.

That old man had too much money that he would never get to spend it all, and there was nothing wrong with benefitting the general public.

That day, Jasper arrived at Hanks Residence with Julian in tow.

Despite having such a long-standing battle with the Hanks family, this was still the first time Jasper had stepped foot in their house.

They were a wealthy family, after all, so the entire park was the Hanks family's property.

family had exquisitely renovated the park, which was by both the mountains

this entire park as a whole could be

are you two looking

man walked out of the park

that his creditor is here to collect his

spoke in a tense voice, "What kind of nonsense are you saying? Leave. This isn't a place for you

You only need to tell him that the creditor's name is Jasper. He'll want to see me." Jasper was very polite

man glanced at Jasper and

rushed out again. "Mr. Hanks wishes to see

saw Sirius standing in

my house, Jasper?" Sirius demanded coldly as he stared

so there

who had a head full of white hair. He was possibly an entire generation older than Sirius. There were also two younger men who were

some lion's den, so why won't I

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This was an extremely smart dog. Hearing its master Neville's words, it barked twice at Jasper.

The sight had all the Hanks present chortling.

Everyone looked at Jasper with disdain as if they were looking at a beggar who had come asking for scraps.

Julian, who had been standing behind Jasper the entire time, took a step to stand beside Jasper with a cold gaze.

Everyone then watched as Julian took a deep breath, one that went straight to his core. The man's eyes widened abruptly as he opened his mouth to shout.

It was a loud growl that was deep, powerful, and extremely thundering. It reminded Jasper of a lion's roar in the savanna.

Everyone felt their chests stifle while their hearts seemed to skip a beat. Their breathing grew heavy and they felt uncomfortable.

Meanwhile, the fierce dog beside Neville let out a pitiful whimper. His tail shook between his legs as a puddle of liquid began to form between its hind legs.

It had peed itself in fear.

shattered whatever dignity the

bringing people over to my house to assert dominance now?" Neville's face was flushed red as he looked

dog. Fierce as it is, it's still just a dog,

a subtle smile, and all the Hanks family present felt the color

the German Shepherd, it was really an insult to

are you calling

acknowledge it then?"

"You f*cking b*stard..."

"Enough!"

an indignant expression on his face. He said, "Don't you think that we've made a

set ablaze in

since Sirius had already spoken, Neville remained silent regardless of

you came to do today, Jasper? To scare

reappeared on the Hanks family's

for him to slap Jasper in the face. It was a great relief to the other members of the

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"You came to Hanks Residence to collect our debts? Since when did my family owe you money?"

"Will it hurt for you to shut up?!" Sirius turned to shout at Neville.

Having been shouted at, Neville looked at his dad who had a wretched expression on his face and looked like he was about to eat himself alive. Terrified, Neville spoke with a quivering voice, "I'm your son, Dad. Jasper's an outsider who's coming to bully us at our house, what's wrong with me standing up for our family?"

At that moment, the only old man in the room realized that there was something wrong with Sirius and asked with a frown, "What's going on, Sirius?"

Sirius took a deep breath and looked up at the old man. "This is a notice of breach in contract, Uncle Silas."

With that, Sirius turned to look at Jasper coldly. "What a trick you've got here, hmm?"

Jasper replied calmly, "You're not so bad either."

"I'd like to know how you managed to get your hands on so many sales business' contracts in just two days. How'd you get them to agree to transfer the contract compensation rights to you?" Sirius asked coldly.

At that, the expressions of all the Hanks family members changed.

orders, had been stolen from them.

they were well aware that it would be the end of

Jasper had now brought those

absolute resentment. They wanted

electronics market after signing a contract with the Hanks family for a year's worth of goods. The contract amounts to a total of 1.5 million, with an advanced prepayment of 800,000. The moment either party breaches the contract, they are required to compensate the loss with twice the contract amount. So, I

especially when they'd have to come up with the expenses themselves to sue you otherwise. There's

paled at Jasper's

well done, Jasper. Very well done! Aren't you afraid that I'd go bankrupt and you wouldn't even get a cent out

family's properties are still worth something. I'll just have to treat it as picking up the scraps and helping you repay your debts at a discounted price. Even if you're unwilling, I'm sure the court will

honest, I can afford that bit of

menacingly and

matter how angry he was, the situation left him no other choice but

way

Dave looked at Sirius with disbelief. They did not understand why their

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"You're going too far, Jasper!"

Dave stared at Jasper and roared.

"What's wrong with a creditor coming to collect my debtor's debts? How am I going too far? Or are you telling me that I'm just supposed to give you that 2.7 billion? Is that it?" Jasper asked curiously.

"You won't get anything good out of crushing the entire Hanks family to bits! Doing so will only make the situation more difficult to deal with," Dave spoke grimly.

Smiling, Jasper replied to Dave calmly, "Then how would you propose I do this?"

"We'll pay you 20 million a year until we repay everything. That's the most we can do." Dave's eyes shifted as he spoke.

Jasper chuckled at the suggestion and turned to look at Sirius, ignoring Dave. "Mr. Hanks, should I take this as your family's final decision?"

Dave roared. "I'm talking to you here! What's with your attitude?"

suddenly

such a large sum right now. The Hanks family is now a mere shell of its former glory. We have

that's the result you wish

"Did you have anything to do with Zayden's

frowned slightly at how Jasper asked him a tricky question

Zayden was put in the detention center in the first place. He killed himself because he couldn't take the reality of it. If anything, you were the one who directly caused

it coming, being put behind bars. But I've never once thought of killing him. After all, this is a federal society we live in. It would do you good not

answer my question at all. So tell me, what role did you

turn back to know that his family was looking at him with shocked, complicated,

suffering the most. I swear,

bars? Now you're telling me that you're going to find the killer who killed him? Aren't you contradicting

"What the hell do you want? Are you

fact, I should be here clapping my hands in joy about the fact that he's dead. But this incident has also shown me how

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Neville took a deep breath. He was so infuriated he felt like he was about to explode.

"Stop dodging the question, Jasper. So what if you're good at talking? Tell me, where's Sylva Hanks?"

Dave agreed. "Exactly. You want money, don't you? He's taken all the cash in the family. Find him and you'll get the money!"

"What makes you think that he'd tell me where he's going and when he's planning to flee?" Jasper frowned slightly. "How can you two be so stupid?"

"You're going too far, Jasper!"

Neville could no longer control the rage within him and raised his fist to punch Jasper in the face.

Jasper stood expressionless in place and did not move at all.

Julian reached out from beside him and grabbed Neville's wrist. Before anyone could register what was happening, Julian flicked his wrist and Neville's sharp cry sounded in the air. His arm was immediately fractured.

immense pain. Tears and snot began to flow freely that

who was gulping with a pale face. "Are you going to block my path

move nor stay, so he remained rooted in place. Regret filled his heart as he wondered why he rushed

elders had yet to say anything, so who was a youth like him to act

"Come back, Dave."

and he quickly ran

Jasper with a deep gaze and said,

"As expected."

join the game since the very beginning. But since you had decided to join, then

family

that, Jasper brought Julian and left Hanks

time, Sirius' family members all surrounded

Chapter 618

The fall of the Hanks family caused an uproar within the entire Southeast Province.

It was abrupt and under the intervention of the Provincial High Court where all courthouses in prefecture-level cities within the province were to investigate all of the Hanks family's assets.

Seeing the red tape that sealed off the Hanks family's properties, people could not help but remember how the Hanks family had blindly attacked JW Real Estates' projects. In the end, JW Real Estates stood strong while the Hanks family had fallen.

Everyone could not help but look in the direction of JW Real Estates. No one dared to look down on this company anymore.

They knew that change was about to hit Southeast Province.

At Nauritus City in the provincial capital, in the study of Monty Manor.

Conrad had his hands under his chin as he listened to his subordinate's report.

"Mr. Monty, that's basically the situation now. All members of the Hanks family have already left Southeast Province last night. They've all gone to other places and some even left the country. It seems like it's truly over for them."

Conrad was unfazed, and there was no sign of mirth nor anger in his eyes.

"What about Sirius?" he asked faintly.

"Unreachable. He's completely dropped off the grid and our people are unable to find any traces of him," the subordinate replied carefully. He was afraid that his inability to trace Sirius would irk his employer.

Conrad separated his hands and pulled out a cigar from his drawer. Cutting it carefully, he spoke with his head still down, "It's not your fault. Sirius had spent decades working in Southeast Province, after all. It's only normal for him to have a few methods to save himself at such a time. If he truly wishes to run, then there's no holding him back."

"Should we continue searching for him?" the subordinate asked, exhaling a breath of relief.

The Hanks family is

been years ago. He had lived his life confidently since he made a name for himself at a young age, and

could not help but feel a wave

to take a breather at all. Should we borrow money to help the Hanks family at such a

won't give up Skyward Aluminum just to help the Hanks family, so I have no

he spoke, and there was a cold

wrung them dry of their use to us anyway... How's the progress with Colin

expression. He spoke softly, "Mr. Monty, Colin claimed that he had left Nauritus City for a business

there's another party also seeking his mining company's support, so he's only agreeing to whoever pays the higher price then?" Conrad

him where he is. He's just a general manager. We can find someone else to take his place if he's unwilling to listen. No matter what, I will not let Jasper

replied,

...

"Go, then."

wave of his hand, Conrad had the subordinate leave. Peace returned to the study, and Conrad walked toward the window with his hands behind his back. Staring at the newly sprouted grass downstairs, he murmured,

currently treating someone

other than the general manager of Southeast Province

the main character

brat had indeed brought

you, Mr. Law." Colin raised his wine glass and stood, leaning over lightly

businesses in Harbor City, Mr. Walter. I'll

life and the most important part of my life is this daughter of mine. I'm not too outstanding myself, so I sent both her and

the Mainland to make a living in Harbor City, and I'd be very grateful if you could look out for them, Mr.

Chapter 619

What were trust fund babies?

Henry was the epitome of one.

'Work for me, and I will reward you.

'Yet the moment you're unable to do your part well, I'll screw you over.'

While it may sound like a simple piece of logic, it was in truth filled with bossiness and arrogance.

They did not fear revenge. In fact, revenge was welcome. 'Go ahead. Let's fight, shall we? Let's compete to see who has the more formidable parent.'

There was no way Colin could compete with Henry's parents, so after a moment of pondering, he smiled bitterly and replied, "Mr. Law, what else can I do but listen when you've already made it so clear?"

Henry's expression finally brightened as he laughed out loud. "There we go. Here, come, Mr. Walter, let's have a drink. As for tonight, don't be in such a rush to return, okay? Let me make preparations."

Colin immediately raised his glass and replied, "Next time, Mr. Law. I'll treat you next time. The issue now is to make a stand, isn't it? So I've got to go back and make preparations in advance. I'm not the only employee in the office, after all."

Henry was very understanding and nodded. "Sure. I like your attitude toward work, Mr. Walter."

After eating their fill, Jasper and Henry sent Colin off.

"Mr. Laine, Mr. Law, there's no need to send me off any farther. I'll be getting into the car now," Colin told the two.

Jasper smiled and reached out to shake Colin's hand. "There's something else I would like to discuss with you, Mr. Walter."

After the dinner, Colin could tell that Jasper was someone whom Henry held in extremely high regard.

case, Jasper was not someone he could afford to offend considering the former's prestige in Southeast

Colin replied courteously, "Do tell, Mr. Laine. I'm

spoke, "If I'm right, Conrad must've been contacting you over the past few days,

Colin smiled bitterly.

choose Conrad if it were a choice between him and Jasper. It was Henry's existence and

worry, Mr. Laine. I definitely won't contact him in the

to say was please feel free to agree to

very prominent in Southeast Province and I

Colin

idea of not taking the dangerous role of being the mining company's general manager. Being a simple chief in some other

Jasper's words swarmed Colin with a feeling he had never once

Mr.

Two more days and all of this

gaze. Before this, the reason why he had agreed to stand on Jasper's side on the Skyward Aluminum incident was that he was terrified of

that the so-called genius from Southeast Province that appears once every half a century might truly be thrown off his

decide. Naturally, he would stand on Jasper's side since the odds were in

and spoke, "I know

as he opened the car door for Colin who thanked him with a bow before

Colin's car vanish into the distance,

"What's wrong?" Jasper asked.

for the fact that it'd obstruct your plans, I really wish he'd say no. The number of people who'd risk disrespecting

did not seem to realize how arrogant and irking his words

"You said that you'll finish

smiled. "Why? Are you interested in this

Life at The Top

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After a week of having its price blown up, Skyward Aluminum had now become a hotspot in share market A.

All investors knew that there were dealers trying to fight for control in this company.

Therefore, both retail investors with idle funds and organizations are trying to do everything they can just to get their hands on even a slight portion.

In truth, these past few days, investors who had shares in Skyward Aluminum had indeed made a lot of money.

Jasper alone had thrown in more than two billion Somer Dollars, while Conrad had thrown in 1.5 billion.

Jasper did not care though, for this was all Gale's money, after all.

That morning, Gale had transferred another 1.5 billion over to assist Jasper.

Jasper was truly impressed by Gale's wealth.

easier this time compared to the

he had to do

not his money anyway, so Jasper immediately bought all available shares the

transaction instantly caused

going to rise to the limit in five minutes with how you're buying the shares. How are you planning to buy 5% of the shares?" Henry asked in shock when he saw the scene upon

smiled. "I

all transactions that had sudden stunt in the momentum of that, retail investors who were filing in Did that mean the share same time, Jasper release the news spread like wildfire among the

agreement regarding Skyward Aluminum. They've decided to cancel their plans to merge and acquire