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Tears welled up in Sasha's eyes. After all, she could resonate with her parents. Just like what Helen said, she and James had been wronged over the years and they really wanted to prove themselves for once.

After a long moment of silence, Sasha muttered, "Dad, mom, I will help you establish the herbary company but you have to hire professionals to purchase herbal medicine. Moreover, I'm thinking of letting Matthew join and work with you at the herbary company..."

James directly waved his hand and rejected. "No! The herbary company belongs to your mother and I, and only the two of us will be allowed to manage the company. We don't object to your suggestion of hiring professionals but what is your intention for sending Matthew to work with us?"

Helen nodded vigorously because she agreed with James and didn't want Matthew to interfere with Cunningham family's business. After all, he was just a live-in son-in-law!

Sasha sighed and said, "Dad, Matthew can help you share some of the workload!"

James angrily yelled, "Sasha, do you think that your mother and I won't be able to handle it? Do you think we're useless? If you have that thought, just tell us the truth. We'll just give up, okay?"

Sasha was extremely speechless. Her parents' prejudice against Matthew was so severe that she couldn't change it.

talk about anything else. I'll just ask you

and he gave her a

no other choice, Sasha nodded and

100 million to him but in the end, Sasha could only give him 30

Sasha returned to her

parents are thinking? They ran into huge trouble two days ago and we just finished cleaning up their mess, and now they want to open

be mad at them. It's

suddenly have this idea? What worries me most is that they might get scammed because they don't know about herbal medicine. That will be really troublesome. I'm sure it was my sister and

his lips and thought,

be so worried. I'll help you keep an eye

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James headed out early next morning to meet with Liam so that they could start working on getting the business of Wellness Herbarry started.

As Liam had pulled some strings and made use of his connections beforehand, they managed to go through all the necessary formalities smoothly and quickly.

After James had Sasha transfer some funds to him, Wellness Herbarry officially started operating.

Before that, Liam had met with many suppliers to discuss the acquisition of medicinal herbs.

On the day the company opened its doors, James held a grand opening ceremony which was attended by all the suppliers who came to offer their wishes. As the owner of the company, James had been the center of attention, which was something that fed his vanity well.

Subsequent to the opening of the company, James spent most of his days attending dinners and functions held by the suppliers and he was carried away by all the flattery and compliments.

At last, he made up his mind to acquire medicinal herbs from a group of suppliers out of the rest.

In fact, Matthew had been observing the entire process in silence.

On the day that James was scheduled to sign an agreement with the group of suppliers, Matthew went to Wellness Herbarry beforehand.

sitting proudly in his office, looked annoyed as soon

“Why are you here?”

looked helpless because James was treating

accept the fact that the shareholders of the company had

reason why he was eyeing Matthew with so much resentment now instead of merely taunting him like what he used to

sign an agreement with them. Nowadays,

even finished, “Shut up! Are you

standing next to James, also said coldly, “Matthew, you’re just a live-in son-in-law of our family. What makes you think you have the right to meddle in our business? If it wasn’t for us

ungrateful man! Not only do you not offer me any help, but you’re always nitpicking. What exactly are you trying to achieve? Is it because you can’t

looked helpless. If James wasn’t Sasha’s father, he wouldn’t have bothered to care

him go on and make the blunder,

The medicinal herbs we buy is the key to our business. It’s all the more important as we’re going to supply them to Cunningham Pharmaceuticals! If there are any problems

I’m that gullible? I definitely know more about herbs than you as my family

herb samples from the table and said in a deep voice, "James, since you know medicinal herbs so well,

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Finally, James managed to get rid of all the defective herbs after spending the entire morning dealing with them.

Francis visited him just shortly after he returned to his office.

"Mr. Cunningham, it's been a long time!"

James perked up at once at the sight of Francis.

"Francis, what a pleasant surprise! Come and take a seat here."

Francis was the mastermind behind what Bart had done to them back then. Up until now, it was still unbeknownst to James and his family that it was him who had secretly sabotaged them.

What was worse was James still deemed Francis as the rightful husband for Sasha because of his respectable social status.

After some small talk, Francis cut to the chase by asking, "Mr. Cunningham, why didn't you tell me anything about your herbary company?"

"What's the problem?" James asked curiously.

I used to run a herbal medicine business back then too!" Francis said

eyes lit up. "I

long ago. Mr. Cunningham, I'm really impressed by how good a businessman you are. Just look at how the business is flourishing under your management! I reckon Sasha will have to rely on your company

flattering, laughed heartily and remarked, "Oh, this is nothing compared to the business

if this is a small-scale company, the one I'm having now will be

more proud of himself and he was glad that he made

heard that you've been trying to purchase some Astragalus. I happen to have some of premium quality with me at a

much

price which was cheaper than the quotation he had received before by nearly

at the price, he

quality sold at such a price. Will there be any

you, seeing how close both of us are to each other? I won't have any hope of marrying Sasha if I do that. I am able to offer this price only because I'm not taking

Francis was willing to

harm by grabbing the chance to profit first regardless of whether Francis would be able to have a relationship with

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After leaving James' office, Liam immediately approached Helen and said, "Mom, we managed to bring in so much profit from the first business we have.

Seems like our company will have a very bright future ahead! I'm thinking of getting a car for you, since it isn't a good idea for you to travel by taxi to meet with clients in the future. Nowadays, rich ladies all travel around in luxurious cars."

Helen's eyes gleamed with excitement after listening to Liam's suggestion.

She had long yearned for the life of a rich lady and having a luxurious car was one of the basic elements of such a life!

"That's a good idea. Find out which model is suitable for me and get me one. I'll ask Demi to transfer some money to you later!"

In fact, Liam made the suggestion mainly because of his own desire.

Since Helen did not know how to drive, the new car would surely be driven by Liam, and it would also be at his disposal other than the time he drove Helen around.

After some discussion, Liam and Demi decided to purchase a Porsche Panamera which cost nearly three million.

At first, Helen hesitated when she learnt about the price.

Yet, after Liam brought her to visit the car dealership, she immediately made up her mind to buy the car.

straightaway drove the new car home without even talking about it with

about the car when Helen drove

so livid with rage that he nearly spurted out blood when

thirty million over to the account as

fortune was expended on initiating the company, staff employment and purchasing all the hardwares

spent over three million at one go on the car, the business

way better than his, which

Helen had gotten herself a Porsche, the difference between the two cars was

bitter argument over it but in the end, James had no choice but to accept it because

the expenditure still put the company in

the cash flow running with the remaining capital as soon as possible or the company would not be able to carry on its operation

made a business deal with Francis before this. Therefore, he immediately contacted a brief account of the cash flow problem his company was facing, which was the reason herbs were then delivered

Rodgers, who worked for Francis, delivered the herbs instead of kept on commenting that the herbs were highly sought after by many

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Helen was puzzled. "What funny smell?"

With a frown, Matthew answered, "It smells weird but I can't really pinpoint it. It doesn't smell like how Astragalus is supposed to smell!"

Mr. Rodgers was infuriated because of his comment. "Damn it, what's your problem? Are you saying that my herbs have got some problems? Very well, don't buy them since y'all think so! Come, put them on the trolley and load them back into the truck!

I have many other buyers who are interested in buying them! What can I get in return by selling the herbs to you guys without a profit? Mr. Cunningham, the problem doesn't lie with me as you can see very well. It's your son-in-law who is being very picky with my herbs.

I'm not to blame if Young Master Cooper asks for an explanation later! Do you know I have plenty of buyers out there who can't wait to buy the herbs right after I leave this place?"

James looked restless at once, thinking that he had to purchase the Astragalus by hook or by crook so that he could get the cash flow of his company running to save it from its current predicament.

On top of that, he was reluctant to give up the lucrative profit he might make out of selling the herbs.

the mirror? Just who do you think you are? Do you know anything about chinese herbs? How dare you make the groundless allegation that something is wrong with these herbs! I suppose

what I said is true. I do have some knowledge in chinese herbs and there's really something not right

Your company isn't the only buyer that I have! What are you guys waiting for? Load them onto the trolley and bring them back! Damn it, do I look like I have to worry about fetching a good price for my premium quality goods? Yes, take them away because I'm

the company was facing

to sell the car, which meant that

the parent company would probably come after them

time trying to explain to Sasha how they squandered away the thirty million in such

the more she thought about the repercussions, suddenly dashed toward Matthew to

avoid me?! Why? Do you think you don't deserve to be slapped? You're just a useless piece of crap who depends on us for a living. Do you really think you own Cunningham Pharmaceuticals? Do you think you have a say in everything? Who do you think you are by coming over here to meddle with our business? Scram! Get out of here or I'll beat you to death!"

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Matthew immediately told Sasha all about the issue with the herbs after leaving Wellness Herbarry.

Sasha, who looked deeply shaken after listening to him, intended to call James in an instant but she was stopped by Matthew, who was of the opinion that something was fishy with the deal.

It was too much of a coincidence that someone sent a huge amount of defective herbs to James right after Wellness Herbarry was established.

Obviously, this was a trap set by someone with the intention to sabotage James.

Therefore, Matthew decided not to alert the mastermind prematurely before he managed to lure him out.

When the Astragalus was delivered to Cunningham Pharmaceuticals from Wellness Herbarry, Sasha had them moved to the storeroom instead of using it.

There were CCTV cameras installed in the storeroom which could capture the entire period of time the Astragalus was stored to serve as evidence in the future.

Ten days later, Francis suddenly visited James' office.

As James had gained a huge profit from the deal, he started having an even more favorable opinion of Francis.

take a seat!" James made some tea

exclaimed, "Mr. Cunningham, something bad

wrong?" James was stunned for a moment when he

and

teapot in James' hands was dropped

terror-stricken, James asked in a trembling voice,

be so respectful when

government? Will they confiscate everything? I spent a lot of money on the herbs. Wh-What

Cunningham Pharmaceuticals and used to manufacture other medicines, and all the medicines that contain the defective herbs have already been released to the market. This issue is capable of destroying Cunningham Pharmaceuticals for good if the government manages

the chair directly

with painstaking effort did they manage

luxurious cars, their distinguished social statuses and

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James' eyes widened immediately. "Francis, y-you have to help us! You have to help Sasha! Sasha is managing Cunningham Pharmaceuticals right now. Since you love her so deeply, I suppose it will hurt you too to see her sad?"

Francis admitted in a soft voice, "Mr. Cunningham, you're right. I do love Sasha, but she's another man's wife now and I'm not related to her in any way. Meanwhile, my pharmaceutical company is worth around sixty to seventy million. Losing that kind of money for a woman who isn't related to me at all is just..."

James frowned, knowing vaguely what Francis meant.

"Francis, you know very well that the marriage between Sasha and Matthew is never going to last! Since their marriage only exists in name, they will divorce each other sooner or later. We've always favored you and you are the ideal husband for Sasha. Helen and I think the marriage between you and Sasha will be perfect," James said with a simpering smile.

With a sigh, Francis responded, "Mr. Cunningham, you're right. However, I still don't have any chance because Matthew and Sasha have yet to divorce each other. Since they're still married, don't you think it's not quite appropriate for me to spend sixty to seventy million to settle this issue?"

James was stunned for a second before he asked, "Do you mean that y-you will help us solve the problem as long as they get a divorce?"

I can see some hope

deep breath, James nodded his head slowly. "Okay, it's a deal! Francis, while I get them to divorce each other, you help me settle this issue. What

please don't worry because I can definitely settle

out, James found Helen

problem that she nearly

sighed in relief when she heard the latter part of

Sasha then. This time, I'll get them to divorce each other by hook or by crook! If she refuses to divorce him, I'll kneel down in her office

directly, "Sasha, you must get a divorce with Matthew this time! You

Mom, what's wrong with the two of you? Why are you guys still picking on Matthew even after you

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With their knees on the floor, both James and Helen implored in a croaky voice, "We're doing this for your own good! Since Matthew isn't a nice man and you can find yourself a better husband, why are you so insistent on keeping him?"

Sasha urged anxiously, "Dad, Mom, please get up first before we talk!"

"Sasha, we won't get up until you agree to divorce him!" James said.

"Yes, we won't get up until you agree to divorce him and we'll have our knees on the floor until you say yes! Sasha, if you are cruel enough to let us kneel down in front of you, you may say no!" Helen threatened.

Sasha was panic-stricken as the sight of her parents kneeling down before her put her under immense pressure. After a moment of contemplation, she gritted her teeth and got down on her knees too. "Dad, Mom, I'll kneel down too since the two of you refuse to get up. Let's talk this way! However, my stance is still the same—I won't divorce Matthew!"

Both James and Helen were stunned. At first, they had intended to use this trick to compel Sasha into divorcing Matthew but that trick no longer worked now that Sasha had gotten down on her knees too.

After glancing at each other, James let out a sigh at last and confessed, "Sasha, to be honest..." He gave her an account of the batch of defective Astragalus.

"Sasha, your mother and I really can't think of any other way to solve it. We only managed to get Cunningham Pharmaceuticals after putting in a lot of effort. If it's destroyed in our hands, we'll be condemned by the rest of the family for the rest of our lives and we might really have to kill ourselves by the time it happens! Now, you just need to get a divorce with Matthew and Young Master Cooper will settle everything. I suppose you won't allow Cunningham Pharmaceuticals to be destroyed by this problem now that it's worth up to one billion?"

that the thing which

released to the market, countless consumers out there might have already bought them! If the government finds

her parents to their feet and said, "Dad, Mom, you guys don't have

astonished, both of them asked,

because I've never used that batch of Astragalus to manufacture the drugs!"

wide-eyed with pleasant surprise written all over their

Didn't the company just happen to be

think of it, it's all thanks to Matthew!" After explaining what Matthew had done to her parents, Sasha continued with a laugh, "That batch of Astragalus is still in the storeroom now. The CCTV camera inside had been kept running right from the moment the herbs arrived

and Helen looked flabbergasted because it had never occurred to them that things

"R-Really?" James sounded overjoyed.

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"If you don't believe me, you may do some checking yourself! Bart Jenkins had been fired by the bank and I only got to know it when I went to the bank to do some errands some time ago. I guess Francis Cooper is trying to sabotage us this time to avenge his uncle's termination!"

James was enraged at once when he realized the truth. "Francis Cooper, that son-of-a-bitch! It's a shame that I have always thought of him as a nice guy! Never have I expected that he would set up a trap to sabotage me! I must have been blind to not be able to realize his true colors!"

Helen commented gratefully, "All credit goes to Matthew this time! Without him, we would have made a huge blunder! James, you should treat him better in the future, do you understand?"

James nodded vigorously and said, "Of course! That's for sure!"

Joy was written all over Sasha's face because she was delighted to see her parents adopting a different attitude toward Matthew.

In the meantime, she had instructed the legal team of the company to follow up what Francis Cooper did.

Since Cunningham Pharmaceuticals did not use the batch of Astragalus to manufacture its drugs at all, the responsibility fell on the supplier.

Not only would Francis have to refund what they had paid him for the defective Astragalus, but he would also have to offer them a huge sum of compensation.

James and Helen then returned to their company in a buoyant mood.

agree to divorce Matthew? Do I

would have praised him for his

time, they looked affronted

can you do something like that to him? You'd better

bewildered while he received

been treated this way before whenever he talked bad about Matthew in front

immediately went to look for Demi. When he finally learnt about the turn

that mean they have accepted him as their son-in-law? Will they give the entire

she had always been

Pharmaceuticals, how much

have to come up with ways to get

he thought the same

contemplation, he suddenly came

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Subsequent to that, Liam had one of his friends send messages to the shareholders of the company tipping them off the incident regarding the defective batch of Astragalus.

Before long, the shareholders gathered and visited Sasha's office to make a fuss about it.

Despite Sasha's persuasion, the shareholders still insisted on summoning James and Helen to confront them about the issue.

Just like what Liam had predicted, the shareholders made use of what happened last time to compel James and Helen to surrender the right to manage Wellness Herbary.

On top of that, the shareholders too started demanding to let Matthew be in charge of Wellness Herbary because they thought Matthew was a very competent man considering the fact that he had done a great job this time and he had managed to trace back the 300 million previously.

This annoyed James and Helen tremendously.

It had taken them a painstaking effort to establish Wellness Herbary, and they had even gotten their name cards printed, on which they were labeled as the bosses of the company.

Not too long after they showed off their name cards on their Instagram Story, they were going to be ousted by Wellness Herbary. How could they accept that?

would not care about salvaging their reputation. After a

Demi were chased out of the

Porsche Helen just purchased was kept by the shareholders and

was so livid with rage that her eyes went red-rimmed because she had just shared the photos of her new car on

expressed their envy and had been pestering her to let them have a

she lost both her position in the company as

those relatives and old friends

deemed as a liar who only claimed to own the car for vanity reasons now that

back home

you? Who gave him the right to be in charge