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Henry patted Jenny's shoulder, indicating her to calm down. Then he stepped forward and looked at the middle-aged woman. "If you buy this stone for 6,000 yuan, I'm sure you won't lose money. I'm sure you won't."

"Nonsense, do you think I'm stupid?" The middle-aged woman looked disdainful.

"Okay, since you don't want it." Henry took the stone from the middle-aged woman's hand and said to Jenny, "President Qin, I will pay 6,000 yuan for this stone."

The middle-aged woman looked at Henry's appearance and sneered. "You're putting on an act."

The onlookers were all laughing at him. How dare he buy his own things? He could say he would buy it for 600 million yuan if

he wanted.

Henry took the stone in his hand and said to the middle-aged woman, "Big sister, I gave you a chance to make money, but you didn't cherish it. Come on, cut this stone from one-fifth from the beginning."

A staff member came over with professional tools and began to cut the stone according to Henry's words.

With a first cut, there was no green.

"Go on, I'll let you continue to pretend. You idiots won't have a good end!" The middle-aged woman looked contemptuous.

The staff in Jenny's shop looked at Henry.

"Another centimetre," Henry said.

With another cut, there was still only some waste stone.

"Hahaha, still nothing. Can you guarantee

that you can make money? You must be kidding me!" A burst of laughter rang out.

The middle-aged woman even looked like she had seen through him a long time ago.

Henry said again, "Another centimetre."

The staff cut again. The first two cuts were cut so fast that there was almost no obstacle. But before the third cut could be finished, the staff stopped.

"Mr Zhang, there's something." The staff looked excited.

"Brush." Henry ordered.

The staff immediately took out the professional tools and began to slowly brush the stone. After a few rounds of grinding, a touch of green appeared in the eyes of everyone.

"There's green! There's green!"

"No way!"

The staff's eyes were full of joy, and they accelerated the action of their hands. As they gradually brushed, a piece of green jade, about the size of a baby's fist, was fully displayed. This jade was smooth, shiny, and highly transparent.

"It's the top quality! It's the top quality!" A loud cry came from the crowd.

"This is Emerald Jade. Oh my god, such a small piece is worth more than a million yuan!"

"What's going on today? Both of the shops are offering treasures!"

The middle-aged woman looked at the green jade in front of her in a daze. She could hear the voice of the people next to her clearly.

One million! One million!

Henry smiled slightly and said, "Big sister, it seems that you didn't seize the opportunity to make money this time."

"It's impossible, it's impossible." The middle-aged woman shook her head with a dull look in her eyes. She was unwilling to believe that millions of yuans had already been in her hands and had been rejected by her.

"Big sister, it's a pity." Those who mocked Henry and others with the middle-aged woman just now all showed a gloating expression on their faces.

Henry put this emerald jade that had just been cut into his pocket. What happened here attracted a lot of people who were originally at Peerless Jade.

Just now, many people had bought stones in Peerless Jade. Unfortunately, there were very few people who could get some jade inside of those stones. And the people who



had found it were all brought by Bing. People who really didn't know Bing, just like what Henry said, all bought some ordinary waste stones. It was impossible for them to find jade in it.

Jenny's beautiful eyes were full of colourful colours. Henry was not the one she hired, and she was also very clear that Henry had never seen these stones at all. However, he could be sure at a glance that there must be a piece of green in that stone. How did he do that?

Henry saw that a lot of people had been looking at him. He picked up a stone again from the shop, but it was only the size of a palm. "Everyone, in order to prove that there are no tricks in our shop, I will offer this stone for 1,500 yuan. Is there anyone who wants to buy it?"

After Henry finished speaking, he took a look at Bing.

"One thousand and five hundred? Can buying this stone make money?" Someone in the crowd asked.

Henry smiled and said, "Gambling is the most important in stone gambling. Is there any need to gamble if I tell you whether you can make money or not?"

In the crowd, they looked at each other, but no one spoke.

"Guys, one thousand and five thousand. Does anyone want it? Take it now. Three seconds." Henry shouted again.

For the living standard of the city, everyone's average salary was about four thousand and five hundred yuan, and this stone was one thousand and five hundred yuan. For them, it was not too much, but it was not too little. They really couldn't make up their mind whether they should take a risk or not.

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"Three..."

"Two..."

"One..."

Henry counted down, but still no one spoke.

Henry handed the stone to the staff behind him and said, "Cut it from the middle and cut it with less strength. As soon as you see green, brush it."

The staff member nodded and took the stone. According to Henry's instructions, he cut the stone from the middle. The first cut met an obstacle. The staff member was happy and immediately changed the tools and brushed it.

The onlookers were all staring at the staff's movements. Soon, a green light appeared in their eyes again.

"There's green! There's green again!"



"My God, what kind of jade is this?"

"From the look of it now, it's ordinary jade. The price is not high, but it's not too low."

As the whole jade appeared, someone in the crowd shouted out the price.

"This jade is of average quality. It's about 11 centimetres long and 4 centimetres high. It's worth about 120,000 to 150,000 yuan."

"Oh my god! This is equivalent to my two-year salary."

"I could buy a car for that much money!"

"F\*ck! Why didn't I buy it for one thousand and five hundred? I'm really a fool!" In the crowd, some people couldn't help but want to slap themselves in the face.

Henry smiled and said brightly, "Everyone, I have given you a chance just now. It's all up to you. There is absolutely no tricks in

our Broken Jade Pavilion. All the jade stones are from Yun Province. As for the store next to us, there are a lot of people who have just bought the stones, but there are very few pieces of jade. But please tell me, is there anyone you are familiar with who found a jade?"

Henry's words made the onlookers' hearts skip a beat.

They thought about it carefully. Yes, those who found the jades just now were all strangers. They had never seen them before. Were they hired by someone? After all, they chose those jade stones by themselves.

Bing stood in front of his shop and was exposed by Henry. His face was slightly gloomy. He looked at the old man who was the first to open the stone. "Can you see what method he used?"

The old man shook his head. "This guy is

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weird."

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When Jenny saw Henry attracting everyone's attention so quickly, she couldn't help but admire him in her heart. Now many people said that she was a new business genius, but Jenny herself knew that the title of genius was no different from an idiot in front of Henry.

As for Henry selling two stones in front of everyone, even if someone bought them, Jenny would not feel that it was a loss. After all, if the stones were put in her store, they would be sold at this price sooner or later.

In the crowd, a person specially arranged by Bing shouted, "What do you mean by saying that the Peerless Jade has tricks. You don't have any? As for what you just did, who knows if it was deliberately arranged by you?"



After the man shouted this sentence, Henry couldn't help but smile. "What an idiot."

As expected, when Henry smiled, the onlookers were unhappy.

"What the f\*ck are you talking about?"

"F\*ck, are you blind? Look at him. Does it look like he has some tricks?"

"Have you seen the big sister just now? She almost got a heart attack. Watch your mouth."

The person arranged by Bing provoked the anger of the public. The person quickly quieted down and did not dare to speak again.

"He said that the Broken Jade Pavilion has some tricks, but they sell the jade stone directly. Does the Peerless Jade dare to do that?"



"That's right!"

Bing's face fell when he saw this topic. All the jade stones in the Peerless Jade were prepared by Bing himself. If he really took one out and it got bought by someone else, he would lose a lot. After all, he bought all those jade stones with money at that time.

Henry looked at Bing and shouted, "Young Master Ke, do you dare?"

Bing glanced around and found that the onlookers were all looking at him. At this time, if he said he didn't dare to do so, it meant that he admitted that he had asked people to act.

Bing took a deep breath and said loudly, "Of course, there's nothing that we don't dare to do. If your Broken Jade Pavilion dares to sell it like this, we dare to do so also. However, we're not going to sell it for 200 yuan this time. We're selling it at the

original price!"

After Bing finished speaking, he waved his hand and asked someone to take out a stone.

"Five thousand for this stone. Anybody?"

When Bing spoke, he secretly made a gesture to his own people, meaning that there was something in this stone.

As soon as Bing's voice fell, someone said immediately, "I'll take it!"

The man responded very quickly. He was afraid that the stone would be bought by others, which would be a loss of money.

"I'll pay 6,000 dollars!" Henry shouted loudly and then said to the crowd, "Guys, as long as you buy this stone within 30,000 dollars, you won't lose money. If you lose money, you can come to me and I will refund you."



After hearing Henry's words, almost everyone showed an excited look on their faces. Even if they lost money, they would get a refund. Only a fool would miss this chance.

One of them shouted on the spot, "I'll pay 7,000 yuan!"

"Thirty thousand!" Someone shouted directly to the top price.

Bing's face was very ugly. He knew how much the jade in this stone was worth. It was bought for thirty-three thousand yuan at that time. If someone really bought it for thirty thousand yuan, he would lose money. Although he wouldn't lose much money, he still felt uncomfortable in his heart.

"I'm sorry, everyone." Bing said, "I only sell to the first person to bid."

"What a joke!" Henry shouted, "Young

Master Ke, is this some kind of your trick? You don't want to sell it even if someone offered 30,000 yuan, but you want to sell it to someone for 5000 yuan?"

Henry's words immediately attracted a lot of people's agreement. The onlookers were unwilling to give up this opportunity to make money and spoke one after another.

"It's just a tick!"

"D\*mn it, I knew it. How could Peerless Jade have so many jades? They were all opened by their own people."

"That's right. Sh\*t."

Hearing the voice from the crowd, Bing's face turned green and red. Now that he was being pointed at by the crowd, he could only accept that he was unlucky. "Then... then I'll sell it to the person who offered 30,000 yuan."

The man who offered 30,000 yuan



excitedly paid the money and opened the stone as soon as possible. As expected, there was a piece of jade. It estimated that it was worth 33,000 yuan on the spot which meant that he had earned 3,000 yuan.

"Master Ke, you look pale? Shouldn't you be happy to open a gambling stone shop with so many treasures?" Henry shouted at Bing from a distance.

Bing's neck went stiff. "I just don't feel well."

"Oh, I thought Master Ke knew that he had lost money." Henry laughed and turned around again. He took out five stones and said to the crowd, "Everyone, each of these five stones is worth 1,000 yuan, and only one of them has jade inside. According to my understanding, the colour should be ordinary, worth less than 3,000 yuan. Anybody want to bet?"



As soon as Henry finished his words, he found that many people's faces were filled with emotion.

According to Henry's performance just now, everything he said was true, everyone subconsciously believed Henry's words. However, among the five stones, only one stone had jade inside, and it was not worth the money for all five stones. If you wanted to gamble, you could buy two stones. Three stones would also be okay.

One of them took a deep breath and said, "Give me two stones!"

A person stepped forward, which immediately led a lot of people to say something. Suddenly, two more people spoke.

"I'll also take two!"

"Let me have one!"

A total of three people walked out of the

crowd and looked at the five stones taken out by Henry. After the three stones were distributed by themselves, they began to cut the stones. As Henry said, only one of the five stones had jade, and the remaining four pieces were all rubbish.

The man who made money bought two stones, whose cost was 2,000 yuan, the jade's worth was 2700 yuan, and the profit was 700 dollars. It seemed that he was very happy. The other two people, however, had a regretful look on their faces. They chose the stones by themselves just now. They couldn't blame others. There was only 20% of a chance to get the jade.

Henry's way of doing this made the onlookers unable to find any proof that Broken Jade Pavilion's had some tricks.

The crowd looked at Bing again.

Bing immediately understood what these



people meant. He gritted his teeth and ordered his men to take out five stones. He shouted, "One thousand per stone."

As soon as Bing's voice fell, Henry said, "Buy the third one."

As soon as Henry finished his words, many people rushed out to buy the third stone. As for the other four pieces that Bing asked people to take out, they didn't even look at them.

In the end, a passer-by bought the stone and opened a piece of jade which was worth three thousand and two hundred yuan. This jade was also Bing's. This meant that he had lost more than two thousand yuan.

"Master Ke, what do you think? Do you still want to play?" Henry looked at Bing with a smile.

Bing looked at the old man beside him with

a gloomy face.

The old man nodded knowingly, stood up, and said, "Young man, it's boring to play like this. If you want to play, let's pick each other's stones, shall we?"

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"Pick each other's stones?" Henry murmured and raised his eyebrows. The person who played with him last time, known as Stone King from Yun Province, dared not to meet him now.

The old man looked at Henry and wanted him to accept the challenge. All that Henry had just shown was like an unknown prophet. As long as he took a look at the stone, he could tell whether there was green inside or not. This was clearly an incredible thing. So the old man thought that Henry was also using the same as Bing, but he was more skilled in carving the jade stone. Even he himself could not see through it.

When the old man made this request, he did not know that he and Bing had already fallen into the abyss.



Seeing that Henry did not respond, the old man thought that Henry was afraid, so he was more certain about his guess. The old man had just seized everyone's attention and deliberately took out some prepared jade stones. He guessed that everyone dared not buy them and gradually took the initiative.

"What do you think, young man? Do you dare?" the old man asked again.

"Okay." Henry reluctantly agreed.

Seeing that Henry agreed so reluctantly, the old man was more convinced of his own idea.

Henry asked, "How to set the rules?"

"It's very simple." The old man waved his hand. "You and I choose the stones from each other."

"Okay." Henry nodded.

The onlookers saw that the old man represented the Peerless Jade, and they all understood that the 30 million jade just now was indeed fake. It was a trick.

At this moment, the old man had no time to hide anything and shouted, "Everyone, the gambling is the most part of stone gambling. There is no one or any instrument in the world that could see what is hidden in the stones only by looking at it. Just now, the person from the Broken Jade Pavilion could guess accurately almost every time. Don't you think it's strange?"

"That's right, I have already felt that something was wrong," said one of Bing's men. "He said that he could see things inside of the stones. How is that possible? If they really have this ability, do they still need to open such a gambling shop? They would have made a fortune long ago."

"Yes, isn't this just picking up the money?"



There must be something fishy in it. Maybe those jade stones were hidden by themselves."

Some passers-by were confused and said, "That's not right. Just not the emerald jade was chosen by the old lady herself. As for you guys, you were acting. You've done a great job."

"The big sister just happened to have picked the right stone? There is no coincidence in this world. Where did the coincidence come from?"

"That's right." Bing's men spoke again.

The old man stretched out his hand and said, "Well, everybody, the jade I opened today in the Peerless Jade is not a trick. I just wanted to wish good luck to Master Ke. I hope that everyone can find treasures in the Peerless Jade in the future. But now there is someone who likes to play with tricks. I have been gambling on stones for

more than 30 years. Today I will show everybody this shameless person!"

The old man said loudly. It could be said that it was the wicked first to complain.

Henry smiled and said, "The innocent will always be innocent. Since some people said that there is something fishy in it, let's see whose store has something fishy going on."

Henry and the old man walked toward the opposite store almost at the same time.

When Henry came to the door of the Peerless Jade, he picked a jade stone without thinking.

Bing's heart ached when he saw the jade stone Henry chose. The piece Henry took contained jade, which was worth nearly a million yuan. Now he only hoped that his people could solve the problem. As long as he could destroy the Broken Jade Pavilion,



Bing could accept the loss of more than a million dollars in the early stage.

After all, as long as one of the stores was closed, the other one would completely dominate the stone-gambling market in Ning province. It would be easy to earn this money back.

After Henry selected the jade stone, he asked, "If there is jade inside, will it be mine?"

"Of course, it belongs to the one who opened the stone." The old man responded loudly and walked to the Broken Jade Pavilion.

Looking at the dazzling stones in the store, the old man frowned. Just as he said, he had been gambling on stones for more than 30 years and was somewhat experienced. He also had some understanding of the surface of the stones. Originally, he thought that in the Broken



Jade Pavilion, like in the Peerless Jade, there were some stones with chemical elements on the surface, which could be distinguished. But when he came in, he found that these stones were all the same.

Was it possible that the kid could see if there was green inside the stone at a glance? The old man thought, but in the next second, he overturned this guess himself.

"It's impossible. It's absolutely impossible. How could there be such a person?"

The old man shook his head and carefully started selecting the jade stone. With the passage of time, his face gradually sweated, because he was really not sure if there was a green in that stone.

Those who were waiting outside to watch the fun gradually became impatient when they saw that the old man hadn't picked a stone for five or six minutes.

"Are you done? It's been a long time. Look at him. He picked the stone in ten seconds."

"Don't you know how to pick? You said that there was something fishy in that store, but you couldn't see anything. You are talking nonsense."

"Yes."

Hearing the urging from the crowd, the old man made up his mind and picked up a stone which looked the best.

Generally speaking, the selection of stones depended on the temperature and colour of the stones. The old man had been gambling for more than 30 years, he also had his own set of method to distinguish the stones. Although the stone he chose might not 100% have jade inside, it was relatively the most likely to have.

When the old man finished picking the



stones, he and Henry were ready to open the stones under the eyes of everyone.

What Henry picked was an oval stone with a length of 40 centimetres and a height of about 15 centimetres.

What the old man picked was a stone that was nearly one meter high. The price of this stone was about sixteen thousand yuan, which was very expensive.

The old man waved his hand and ordered the staff of the Peerless Jade, "Cut it with a big knife, split it into pieces."

Hearing this, the employee of the Peerless Jade nodded and walked up.

"Mr Zhang, how to treat this stone?" The staff of the Broken Jade Pavilion walked up to Henry and took the initiative to ask.

Henry shook his head and said to the crowd with a smile, "Guys, normally speaking, there should be a layer of hard



substance on the surface of the stone, the surface of the stone that I'm holding now looks solid, but in fact, it's very crispy."

After Henry finished speaking, he picked up a small piece of gravel and knocked on the surface of the stone he chose a few times.

The original seemingly solid surface of the stone, with Henry's two strikes, cracked. Then, Henry only used his hand to break off the surface of the stone cover, revealing a large piece of jade.

"Wow, so big!"

"It was so easy to remove the cover. There's indeed something wrong with this stone!"

"The Peerless Jade is really shameless. They put on an act to lure us to their store!"