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"This is going overboard!"

"Yes, why continue to pressure Miss Glyn for an apology?"

Hannah shot the crowd a dismissive look.

"Then why keep insisting on searching Lydia? We're all respectable individuals here. I just want an apology, nothing more."

Melina lightly bit her lip and softly said, "Bryson..."

At last, Bryson weighed in, not taking her side.

"Hannah's correct.

You should apologize."

Melina never thought Bryson would actually force her to say sorry.

Keeping her cool was a challenge.

Finally, defeated by a mere utterance from Bryson, she gritted her teeth and addressed Lydia.

"I'm sorry, Miss Phillips. I must have misjudged you."

Bryson rose to his feet and walked over to Hannah. He stooped to collect the shattered emerald on the floor.

Observing his actions, Hannah mentioned, "Miss Glyn, as for the 300 million for the necklace, I'll wire it to you after we get off."

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"No need," Bryson curtly said, handing the shattered emerald shards to the manager.

He cast Melina an icy glance.

"All this drama over a counterfeit piece."

"A counterfeit?"

"Impossible!"

The bystanders couldn't contain their surprise.

Summoning an expert from the Mia Group proficient in jewelry evaluation, Bryson watched as Melina flushed with embarrassment. The evaluator examined the piece and shook their heads.

"This is a fake emerald. Though well-crafted, it's certainly not genuine."

The crowd erupted in whispers and gasps. Melina's 300-million necklace was a fake?

Hannah queried the expert, "If you don't mind, even though it's a fake, it must have some worth, correct?"