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Brands are cutting down on plastic waste. Image credit: Vogue

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[Burberry and H&M are among the brands pledging to eliminate plastic pollution](#)

The harrowing statistic that there will be more waste plastic in the sea than fish by 2050 has finally resonated with select brands in the fashion industry who have pledged to clean up their act, says Vogue.

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[WeWork discloses vision for Lord & Taylor flagship](#)

WeWork is moving forward on its transformation of Lord & Taylor on Fifth Avenue and it's all about preserving the flagship's iconic features and bringing new retail to the site, reports Women's Wear Daily.

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[L'Oreal CEO sees no slowdown in China despite US trade tariffs](#)

L'Oreal's chief executive Jean-Paul Agon told CNBC Wednesday that he sees no slowdown facing Chinese consumers, despite simmering trade tensions between Beijing and Washington, according to CNBC.

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[1.1 kg and 5,655 carats: An emerald like no other has been unearthed in Zambia](#)

The world's largest producer of green stones has unearthed a 5,655-carat emerald crystal at its mines in Zambia.

The stone, which weighs more than 1.1 kg (almost 2.5 lbs), was found at the Gemfield mines in Kagem, the company said in a statement Monday, per CNN.

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