

The Rival Clansmen

A Scottish Vendetta.

CHAPTER XX.

RECTOR M'LEOD FOLLOWS CAMERON AND
IAN—NARROWLY ESCAPES FALLING INTO
THE LION'S DEN—MEETS FRIENDS
WHO SHALL BY-AND-BY PROVE
OF IMPORTANCE.

"I cannot stay," was the response of Hector. He was struggling with the emotions which were surging within him. Now he has realised that his enemies had been successful in regaining possession of Flora, and had her, for a time at least, apparently secure, his grief and agony of mind were almost unbearable, and but for the presence of other men he would have wept aloud on the spot. He was eager to be away, to be alone by himself for a brief moment, that he might give vent to his feelings; for he knew that he should be calmer and more resolute after the burst was over.

"M'Leod," replied Winterton, "this is madness; you must eat something. For the sake of those you want to succor, I entreat you to eat with us."

"Thank you, Captain; but every moment is precious," replied Hector, gulping down a heavy sob. "If you can give me a mouthful of bread, I shall eat it as I go forward, and I can wash it down with the snow. But I cannot stay to breakfast with you."

"As you will, then, M'Leod," was the response of the Captain. Then raising his voice—"Hey, Goodley—Sergeant Goodley!"

"All right, sir," responded that officer, stepping with alacrity out from the middle of a small group, and saluting as he approached his commander.

"Run to where the rations are lying and bring some bread and a piece of venison for M'Leod; he won't stay to breakfast with us. By the way, give the order for breakfast now, and we start for Skerryvach immediately."

"All right, sir," said the sergeant, as he moved off. In a few seconds he returned, and handed a small parcel to the young man, who was impatiently chafing under the delay, although he knew well the kindly feelings that prompted it and the necessity for his strength and vigour being kept up if he would be successful in the undertaking on which he had embarked.

"Good-bye, and may God speed you," exclaimed Winterton, seizing his hand and heartily shaking it before he turned to go. "I know something of your state of mind, and although I am here to quell such disturbances as those you go to raise I must say it would be a pity indeed were not summary vengeance to be executed upon such ruffians as Ian M'Kenzie and Donald Cameron."

M'Leod made no reply, but, waving an adieu to the soldiers and their commander, at once struck the path leading to Kinloch-Bwa.

He walked rapidly on until he had reached a turn which hid him from the view of the soldiers, and then hid his grief and vent. His heart was filled to overflowing with regret at the misfortune which had befallen his betrothed and Anne M'Leod, and a terrible indignation burned within him at the thought of his enemies gloating over their temporary triumph, for temporary he was determined it should be. Yet he had been baffled so often that he was almost afraid to hope. But hope he would, and what for? He was resolute and determined, and it is the unchangeable law of heaven that when resolution and determination are allied to right that right shall triumph.

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