The Braes of Yarrow

Historical Tale of the Sixteenth Century.

which the Council and Parliament met.

The sergeant's guard remained at the door of the Council Chamber, and Spens was ushered in. He found there the Governor of the Castle, and beside him a tall man whose face was concealed by the plumes of his hat which drooped over it as he bent to read a document which he held in his hand. His body was covered by a large roquelaire, but Spens had no difficulty in recognising Augusties goed and Pregus.

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At the table sat a clerk, pen in hand, as if ready to write at a signal from his masters. The Knight of Halstane felt his pulse quicken as the suspicion flashed upon him that he was to be judged here by Douglas alone, for the Governor would not dare to oppose his judgment. He remained, however, perfectly calm, waiting for the issue.

Angus looked up suddeally.

'Walter Spens, you are aware of the dangerous position in which you stand?' he said in a harsh deliberate tone.

'I am aware that I stand in the midst of enemies,' was the quiet answer.

'You are aware that you are an outlaw condenned by the Lords in Council to death for treachery to his late Majesty James IV.

'I am aware that I was condenned unheard, and on the word of a villain who hoped by my death to screen himself.'

'You speak with mightly coolness of the matter,' said Angus, feeling irritated by the calm dignity of the man whom he had hoped to awe into submission; but beware, sirrah; for even had the former clarge been proven false, your life is now forfeit by your attempt to steal the King from his lawful and loring guardians.

'I seught to save my country from more useless bloodshed and my 'Queen from shame.'

shame.

Shames scowled fiercely, and goawed his lip until the blood started, in the effort to subdue his passion. At length—

1 am not here to bandy words with an outlaw, he said haughbily. '2 am here to show you that the Queen, whom you would have greviously wronged, and the King, whom you would have stolen from his friends, for what evil purpose you know best, can be merciful even to you.

1 do not doubt the mercy which comes through my Lord Angus must be paid for I listen.'

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Again Donglas with difficulty suppressed his rage; and only the warning look of the Governor enabled him to succeed.
'You do not wish to die, I presume.'
'Not more than other men, my lord.'
'Then if a few words could obtain for you liberty—complete liberty, with the former sentence of the Council rescinded, and all concupences of the awful plot you have been engaged in avoided—would you refuse to speak these few words?'
'There are some words, my lord, which are worth more than as many heads as they require letters to spell them by.'
'Do day refuse?' demanded Angus with barely centrolled choler.
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If words be sometimes worth heads take care that silence does not cost you yours.' I wait, my ford.'

'Answer only one question, and the gates are open to you.-Who were your accomplices in your attempt to carry off the King?' Speas was silent.

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