

The Foster Brother;

The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XXIX.

FRIENDS IN COUNCIL—EVIL NEWS FROM ARO-GOWAN—THE SUDEN JOURNEY.

"I wish I had your strength of mind, George," he said; "I do wish I had. But this is the worst that has come yet. Lillias may be sacrificed ere we can reach her, and the poor girl will deem that we have forsaken her."

"Pray, however, it may not be so," rejoined George, on whose brow the sweat drops had started, for his nature being more profound than that of Harry's, was capable of more suffering.

"If it should," said Harry, clenching and grinding his teeth—"if it should, you must in this room swear to me that you will hunt Garrett and my father like a bloodhound following its prey, that no considerations of mercy or forbearance will influence you, but that you relentlessly, and by every means in your power, bring them to account for their frauds and crimes. Swear this to me, George; as you love me, as you love Lillias, swear it."

George stood up, and the concentrated expression of bitter determination which his face wore was terrible, and made more fearful still by the rigid calmness which lay upon it.

"I swear it, Harry," he said in a tone deep and hoarse. "I swear that if they have made Lillias the wife of Duncan Ralston before we have time to save her, I will move every power in heaven and earth to bring them to account for all the past."

Harry sprang towards him with eyes that flashed like fire, and they clasped hands on the compact.

Supper was now ready, and as they had partaken of the proper dinner that day, Manby had ordered Mrs Curtis to make it of a very substantial character. This was the more fortunate now that the youths were on the eve of starting on a long journey. Had they consulted their inclinations, they would have eaten nothing, so great was their anxiety and agitation. But the doctor impressed on them the necessity of furnishing their physical frames with proper sustenance, and they forced themselves both to eat and drink to a considerable degree.

What remained was at the doctor's suggestion wrapped in paper packages, to be taken with them and eaten on the journey. With the same thoughtful and kind consideration, Manby put a flask of brandy into the pocket of each of their greatcoats.

It still wanted three hours of the proper time of setting out. To speak of going to bed for the period was out of the question. Two large chairs were, therefore, wheeled opposite the fire, and in these they disposed themselves for what rest they could in the circumstances obtain, while the doctor threw himself undressed on the sofa, that he might be ready to see them away.

Scarcely had they sunk into silence when George suddenly started up with an exclamation.

"Ha! about Walley's funeral," he cried. "I promised to lay him at my mother's feet. Can the funeral be deferred for a few days?"

"For ten days, if necessary," replied Manby. "We have a separate place for keeping bodies, and I will see that the coffin is so made that no inconvenience will arise from delay."

"Thanks. I must keep my promise to poor faithful Walley."

At 2 A.M. the sleepless youths were summoned from their places of unresting recline, and the vehicle being yoked and ready to start, they hastily washed their face and breast with cold water, encoased themselves in thick wrappings, and mounted.

A warm squeeze of Manby's hand, a smack of the driver's whip, and away they went through the great gate, and out upon the road into the chill air and the morning darkness.

They reached Glasgow half-an-hour before the starting of the coach, and fortunately found two inside seats untaken. While yet the lamps burned redly in the streets; and ere the great city had awoke to the day's business and noisy traffic, the coach rolled away from the inn door, and the far journey was fairly begun, through the long, slow-passing hours of which the two youths had to endure the keen anguish of terrible suspense.

Buried Alive in an Ottawa Cemetery.

For some time past the work of removing the remains of the departed from the old Roman Catholic burying ground to the new cemetery, has been quietly going on, and nothing more than what might be expected under the circumstances occurred until the other day. The sacred ashes have been reverently taken from their narrow beds and removed by the loving friends to the new city of the dead. Affecting incidents have naturally occurred, and some bordering on the revolting have been witnessed in the old cemetery. Recently buried bodies have been uncoffined that found eyes might gaze upon their features for a last time, before covering them with the sod again. One such incident of a startling nature occurred lately in Ottawa. A gentleman who was engaged in removing the remains of some of his deceased relatives, was asked by an acquaintance, who was similarly engaged, to assist him in lifting a coffin from a grave. He did so, and the lid was taken off. To the horror of the small body of spectators who gathered around it, they discovered that the body (which was that of an uncle of the gentleman who was removing it) had been disturbed in the coffin. It was terribly contorted, as if the deceased had died in great agony. The face wore an expression of intense pain and horror, the arms were drawn up as far as the coffin would admit, and the head twisted round to the shoulders from which the flesh had apparently been gnawed by the struggling man. Shaken by the horrid sight the spectators drew back from the coffin and looked speechlessly into each other's eyes. Not a word was spoken, but there was not a man present who did not feel that the deceased had been buried alive—probably while in a trance—and had awakened only to perish in his living tomb. The coffin was closed again and taken to the new cemetery where it was decently interred. Every precaution was taken to hush up the affair, but it has got abroad, and we now publish it without giving names.—Ottawa Citizen.

"Jeems, my lad, keep away from the gals. When you see one coming, dodge. Just such a critter as that 'un cleanin' the doorstep on 't'other side of the street 'old yer poor dad, Jimmy. If it hadn't been for her, you and yer dad might ha' been in California, huntin' dimuns, my son."

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