

missing tax collector: conclusion

Because there's so many ways the players could decide to handle this, I'll cover some bases:

If the players **decide to take the money and run:**

- The written adventure ends here, you're on your own!
- Wanted posters will be circulated throughout the region
- Bounty Hunters will be hired to track them down.
- Enjoy the chaos!

If the players **decide to return to Eimgan:**

- The players should journey back to Eimgan and report to Marcomir (preferably with the Heavy Lockbox and the Ledger).
- If the players returned empty handed, Marcomir will fly into a rage, and scream at the players to leave his sight.
- **If the amount returned matches the amount listed in the ledger, Marcomir will pay each player 30 gold.**
- If the players brought back the corpse of Bragen, Marcomir will be disgusted, and demand proof of Bragen's misconduct. If no proof is provided, no bonus gold is received.
- Should the Players try to **forged false proof of Bragen's attempt to run off with the gold, Marcomir will still accept it** and pay the Players the promised bonus, as he hates the man.
- **Should the amount specified in the Ledger and the amount returned not match, (or the players returned empty handed) Marcomir will later inform Geberic, and Geberic will have other guards search the Players.**
- If Marcomir has Geberic search the players, and they find an excess of missing funds they pocketed, they will be arrested and jailed. If jailed, the written adventure is over, but you're still free to keep playing! Jailbreaks, on the run as criminals, could be fun!

Once business with Marcomir is concluded, the players should return to the Duty Office in the Barracks and receive daily wages for every day they were gone. (Should be about 2 day's worth at least) From there Lieutenant Vandil will speak with them:

"Good you're back. Thank you for completing that investigation. I've authorized each of you to take a day off for recuperation, and then it will be back to standard night watch for you all. I'll post your patrol assignment on your board."

Players are now on Downtime to do as they wish.