

The Unlatched Door

CHAPTER TWENTY-ONE

It was in an exceedingly perplexed and irritable frame of mind that Inspector Kenway left Martin Winterton's house. Matters had not gone at all as he had expected during his visit there and, though he was convinced that all three of the people with whom he had been talking had been hiding their real feeling and knowledge from him, he could not decide what, precisely, they had concealed nor how his attitude to any of them would be affected if he knew. The matter of the packet which Milvers claimed to have delivered was particularly puzzling. What- ever suppressions they had been guilty of, he did not think Martin and Nancy had tried to deceive him there. Their denial of all knowl- edge of it had struck him as ab- solutely genuine.

He got into the car in which he had come and told the driver to return to headquarters. They ran out of Chaters-rd. and swung in- to the High Street round an im- posing building which stood on the corner. Kenway looked up at it and guessed that it was the branch bank which Winterton managed. His glance came down to the street level and he called an abrupt order to the driver to stop. Springing out, he crossed the pavement and plunged into a shop in the centre of whose window he had seen a grey hat with a black band.

"I'd like to see a hat like that," he said pointing to the one in the window, as a man came forward. "I don't know if I shall like it on myself but there's no harm in try- ing, is there? My size is seven and a quarter."

"Certainly, sir. No obligation to buy, of course. That's a very neat line. Seven and a quarter, you said?" the man had pulled out a drawer and was going through the contents. "Seven and a quarter— try this, please." He handed Ken- way a hat only to have it rejected untried.

"That's seven and an eighth. No good to me. I can only wear the one size."

"Sorry, sir. I'm afraid we are out of seven and a quarter in that pattern at the moment. Some are on order and should be in today or in the morning at the latest. I be- lieve the last was sold on Satur- day."

"Would that be to Mr. Winterton, manager of the bank a couple of doors away? It was seeing his that made me think I should like one."

"No, sir. That wasn't the last. I remember Mr. Winterton buying one, but that was three or four weeks ago. He does take a seven and a quarter, though. There's been quite a run on that size."

"Well, I'll have to leave it. I'll look in again. Sorry to have trouble- d you." Kenway got out of the shop and returned to the car. I thought Winterton looked queer when I mentioned that hat! He was reflecting as he sped Londonwards. "Was he the man who barged in- to Milvers. If so, what else did he do in the flat—and where does that packet of letters come in? There was an envelope addressed to him that night by Borden—the blotter stands for that—but did it ever reach him? And was there something in it that brought him to the flat? I must have another talk with Milvers."

But that was impossible for the time being. The excitement caused by the afternoon's interview had been so detrimental to the patient's condition that the doctor forbade his being disturbed again for at least 24 hours. The inspector had to turn his attention to other as- pects of the case. There was plenty to occupy him; in fact, this case positively bristled with people whose relations with Borden and conduct on the night of his death brought them under suspicion.

There were the three whom he had just seen—Martin and Nancy Winterton and Barbara Calendar. He was not satisfied with the story any of them had told. As to motive, he knew by long experience that those mysterious letters, if indeed they existed, might have supplied a quite convincing motive for any of them to want Borden out of the way. It was only necessary to sup- pose that Borden had been using them for purposes of blackmail.

There was Milvers; if he had not delivered the letters, as he claimed to have done, his whole story was false. But why should he lie, unless to hide actual guilt or gull- ible knowledge?

Roy Hemersley—there was mo- tive sticking out a mile and freely acknowledged; opportunity too! He had been on the spot at what Ken- way believed to be the crucial time.

To be continued

KINGSTON W. I.

The monthly meeting of King- ston Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Merrill Green on August 7th, with nine members and one visitor present.

The meeting opened with the following of creed and roll call. Minutes of the last meeting were read, approved and signed. The sick committee reported fruit sent to a member, and the school com- mittee had no report.

It was moved and seconded that a gift be sent to a new baby; also a wedding gift to a member of the Institute. The invitation of the New Haven Institute to visit them at their September meeting was accepted.

Correspondence was read and discussed, and collection taken, which amounted to 65 cents, and donations to the friendship fund, 30 cents. An auction sale was held, of which the proceeds amounted to \$4.80.

The next place of meeting is the home of Mrs. Calvin and Ty- rus Holmes. The lunch commit- tee will be Miss Edna Colville and

Toronto Stocks

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Table of Toronto stock prices including 500 Franc, 5680 Probiher, 1930 Do Wts, 300 Gas Exp, 525 Gen Pete A, 5000 Geneva, 945 Giants Yk, 2600 Gillee, 10200 Gork Lk, 32500 Goldcrest, 1000 Gold Eag, 700 Gold Man, 13300 Grah Bousq, 900 Gridoll, 28200 Guay, 1000 Gulf, 28275 Gunnar, 650 Gurvey Pr, 60700 Halcrow, 200 Hallnor, 500 Harriacna, 2500 Har Hib, 500 Headway, 24750 Heath, 500 Hellens, 1000 Heva, 5975 Hi Crest, 2200 Hi Bell, 4545 Holidring, 100 Home, 3000 Hom Yk, 800 Hoyle, 800 Htd Bay, 61820 Hu Pam, Hy Chang, 500 Ind Lk, 685 Int Nick, 315 Int Pete, 3500 Jacknife, 1066 Jellicoe, 4800 Jet, 2000 Joburke, 5100 Joliet, 2350 Jupiter, 1509 Kayrand, 30675 Kelore, 2700 Kerr Add, 1400 Kirk Lk, 1050 Kirk Town, 9700 Klondike, 235 Labrador, 3000 Laudulama, 2200 L Duf, 1000 Lake Ling, 500 L Osu, 20 L Shore, 11600 L Wasa, 2000 Lapa Cad, 2500 Lard U, 2000 Leduc-Con, 100 Leitch, 1200 Lenert, 1500 Lexindin, 2600 L L Lac, 1566 Lomega, 2600 L I Pete, 1200 Macassa, 400 MacDonald, 1550 MacFie, 1600 MacKeno, 3100 MacLeod, 5600 Madsen, 2900 Magnet, 270 Malartie

Table of Toronto stock prices including 500 Maraligo, 8400 Marbenor, 4700 Marcus, 4600 Marigold, 6500 Matarrow, 6800 Mayo, 2000 McDoug Seg, 6500 McKenzie, 400 McMarmac, 10750 Mid Cont, 2000 Mill City, 800 Mindamar, 3500 Minda Scot, 355 Mining Cp, 1500 Model, 2800 Moneta, 500 Montauban, 11300 Mylamag, 1800 Naco, 650 Nat Pete, 12500 Negus, 2800 Nes Lab, 18067 New Aker, New Cal, 2752 N Concord, 1000 N Davies, 1300 New Dicken, 1600 N Goldvue, 5068 Newlund, 24600 N Morrison, 2500 N Moehner, 4500 New Norz, 5300 New Devon, 13250 N Ryan L, 1566 N Superior, 1000 Nipissing, 300 Nisto, 300 Nor Acme, 1750 Noranda, 2000 Norlartie, 1067 Normetal, 1000 Norpick, 200 N C Oils, 500 North Can, 4500 Northland, 2000 Nubar, 1700 O'Brien, 4100 Oil Si, 3060 Okalta, 1000 O'Leary, 7320 Do A Wts, 62057 Ont Pyr, 812 Do B Wts, 6300 Opemiska, 500 Orlac, 1900 Orisko, 1000 Pac East, 329 Pac Pete, 2809 Pamour, 32700 Panwest, 4600 Paymaster, 100 Peace Riv, 7100 Peak Oil, 5211 Penn Cob, Perron, 5450 Pick Cr, 5200 Petrol, 1150 Pioneer, 445 Placer, Take 3 Toronto Stock, 500 Pow Rouyn, 1300 Prado, 100 Prem Bord, 1460 Preston, 3900 Pros Air, 3200 Punch, 600 Que Cop, 4500 Que Lab, 150 Que Man, 650 Queenston, 585 Quemont, 500 Guesabe, 500 Ranwick, 1500 Reef

Table of Toronto stock prices including Richfield, 3000 Rowan Cons, 7151 Do Rts, Roy Silv, 100 Royalite, 4500 Rundie, 2400 San Ant, 3900 Sapphire, 4800 Scurry, 2400 Secur Free, 1600 Selburn Wts, 2000 Senator, 1000 Shawkey, 6481 Sherritt, 100 Sigma, 1100 Sillanco, 2815 Sil Mill, 550 Sisco, 6500 Spooner, 1919 Stanwell, 1500 Starratt, 1869 Steep Rock, 200 Stovel Pr, 500 Sturgeon, 7000 Sud Cont, 7550 Sullivan, 8420 Sweet Gr, 1525 Sylvanite, 100 Taku, 1200 Teatr Hu, 1800 Triad, 2231 Trans Emp, 13500 Trans Era, 2500 Trans Res, 3800 Trend, 1800 Triad, 2800 Tunstien, 1000 U Mining, 11375 U Asbes, Un Oils, 5100 Upp Can, 2500 Van Rol, 720 Ventures, 3700 Voliamac, 3000 Walte Am, 500 Westkuso, 75 West Groc A, 660 West Ash, 561 W Hmdst, 200 W Lease, 5500 Wilrich, 4500 Wilsey, 3000 Wimgalt, 1000 Winora, 1220 Wr Harg, 4600 Yale, 1820 Yank Can, 2145 Yk Bear, 2500 Yukeno, 5900 Zenmac, CURB, 100 Bulolo

Tignish Shore

—Among those who attended the Palmer Road Picnic on August 20th, were Mrs. Joseph Doucette, Mrs. Arthur Gaudet, Mr. and Mrs. Ger- ald Gallant and Mr. Arthur Dou- cette.

Mr. John A. MacIntosh, manager of Myrick and MacIntosh, has returned from attending the funeral of his brother which was held in the U. S. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Aeneas MacKlin- non of Charlottetown, were recent visitors at the Shore.

—B. I.

Victoria By The Sea

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Henderson, North Sydney, are spending some time here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Millar.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Mitchell, U. S. A., were recent visitors here guests of Mrs. Mitchell's brother-in-law, Mr. D. G. MacLeod and Mrs. MacLeod.

Miss Brenda MacQuarrie, Char- lottetown, has been spending a very happy holiday with relatives here.

Mrs. Kenneth Whitty, New Glasgow, is spending some time in the Village-by-the-Sea, guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles Millar.

Miss Mary Lea Stewart, Strath- gartney, is spending a pleasant vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Walter M. Lea.

Table of Victoria By The Sea stock prices including 202 Cdn Collier, 25 Int Utl, 4100 Yukon Con, BANKS, 210 Bank Mont, 60 Bank NS, 160 Bank Comm, 250 Royal Bank, INDUSTRIALS, 375 C Brew, 420 Simp A, 710 Simp B

Miss Florence Matheson, Char- lottetown, was a recent guest of her friend, Mrs. D. G. MacLeod, Victoria.

Doctor and Mrs. J. Nightingale, New York, are visiting here, guests of Mrs. Nightingale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. James Benton, Boston, Mass., are spending some time pleasantly with Mrs. Benton's mother, Mrs. Charles Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gill, Bos- ton, Mass., are visitors at the home of Mr. Gill's brother, Mr. Herbert Gill and Mrs. Gill.

Mr. S. R. Cameron arrived in Victoria Friday evening, August 22nd from Cornwallis, N. S., to join his wife and young son Freddy, before leaving the latter part of the week to take up residence in Halifax, N. S., where Mr. Cameron will resume his studies in medicine at Dalhousie.

A goodly number of houses in the Village-by-the-Sea are taking on "the new look" and are being very artistically decorated by the skillful painter, Mr. Herbert Gill, who is kept very busy.

His friends are pleased to learn that the genial and energetic Doctor N. R. Boyer who disposed of his household goods by auc-

WINNER

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