



WHAT HAPPENED AT MONTALBAN

PRINCIPAL CHARACTERS

WHAT HAPPENED AT MONTALBAN: A young London nurse, specializing in the care of children...

CHAPTER VIII OLD NEWS, BUT IMPORTANT: Most of Molly's free afternoons had been spent within the bounds of Montalban itself...

CHAPTER IX SERGEANT WALDEN SPEAKING: "Hello!" said Severn, checking in his stride...

CHAPTER X: "Well, you see, I've just been up that tower—and down again without attracting the attention of the gentleman who happens to be watching the sunset here at this moment...

CHAPTER XI: "Yes, I understand that very well. That's why I'm going. What's the use of avoiding him? Apparently he still prefers to say whatever it is privately...

Molly turned a page, and a very bad likeness of Robert senior stared her full in the eye from the centre of a page...

Molly contemplated her in silence for some minutes, and was possessed with a strange feeling of having seen her before...

She walked the two miles back to Montalban in the fast, time, and entered the grounds by a small wicket gate far from the house...

She went first to the Keep. It stood upon one of the sudden open eminences with which the park was dotted...

She went at leisure, feeling her way delicately, and was emerging into the sudden flowing sunlight of the battlements when she halted and drew back quickly into the dark mouth of the stairway...

Montalban with the contemplative calm of one at peace with the world. But she wondered. It was Severn's habit to frequent this place or the belvedere at this hour...

Very cautiously she backed into the head of the staircase, and began to retrace her steps at first very softly...

"Hello!" said Severn, checking in his stride. "What are you doing here?"

"I thought so, too, but I came back because I had something to tell you. And now I've got something else a good deal more important at the moment."

"Yes, I understood that very well. That's why I'm going. What's the use of avoiding him? Apparently he still prefers to say whatever it is privately...

"Oh, hullo, Sergeant!" said Severn. "What are you doing up here?"

"That's all right, Mr. Severn. Nurse Balcon knows we have a job to do."

"Thank you! Nurse Balcon is at liberty to listen to anything you may have to say about me—and anything I may have to say about myself, too, for that matter."

"All right, sir. That's your choice. But don't forget I offered you the chair."

"Thank you, four years is quite to the point. Have you been here at Montalban all that time, apart from the usual annual holiday, of course?"

TEN YEARS AGO IN TIMMINS

From data in the Porcupine Advance Files

The annual meeting of the Northern Ontario Associated Boards of Trade was held at Timmins ten years ago...

The Timmins Kiwanis Club held their weekly luncheon ten years ago in the basement of the United Church of the Ladies Aid catering for the luncheon and the meal and service being much appreciated by the club...

In the Advance ten years ago: "The T. & N. O. Curling Association banquet held at Timmins last week, concluded on Saturday afternoon after six days of genuine sport that was a real pleasure not only to those taking part but also to the hosts of spectators...

The regular meeting of the town council was held ten years ago with Mayor Geo. S. Drew presiding and Councillors A. Caron, R. Richardson, J. Morrison, J. T. Chénier and A. B. Dooley present...

With the defeat ten years ago at Noranda of the Timmin Senior Hockey team by a score of 5-4, greater interest than ever was being evidenced in the closing stages of the schedule for the Golden Group of the N. O. H. A. Timmins and Kirkland Lake were then tied for first place, with seven wins and four losses each, the Kirkland boys coming up in their standing through their defeat of Dome and of Timmins after a very toe-ticetie ruffed nawk rimbw after an overtime game by the score of 3 to 2...

Local items in The Advance ten years ago included: "Born-On Monday, February 8th, 1932, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Sauve, of 166 Maple street south—a son."

Garnet stopped one cold day at a small meat and grocery store in Sudbury. One of those other echoes from the past: a store operated by its owner, his son, his daughter and his son-in-law...

"I want five pounds of sugar, four pork chops and a ride home."

By the time the woman had paid for the sugar and pork chops, son-in-law was waiting out front in a car. The woman said: "Thanks, very much. It's awfully cold, isn't it?" and went out and got in the car, and away it went.

Prominent Mining Man Dies from Heart Attack

Joseph Errington, president of Little Long Lac Gold Mines, and a pioneer in development of Canadian gold mines, died of a heart attack in Toronto Union station Sunday night. He was on his way to New York to address the American Mining Association...

Ottawa Journal—There will be no more sentiment about artillery relics of the present war than hangs over a cobra.



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Detective-Sergeant Walden. He had turned to face them, one hand upon the battlement wall, the other forefinger stubbing at the tobacco in his pipe. His bowler hat was tilted forward over his forehead, and his face was as uncommunicative as wood, and almost as brown. In his large, wily eyes was a good-looking man, his features over-emphasized, but regular...

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