"Look here" she said, showing him the fragments of broken ware. "This is what this piece has been doing while we were away. What is to be done with her?"

"I reckon we'll let her sleep in the stable with Jeshurun," said the man, with a malignant smile. "Here, Sissy, you come along with me."

He seized my arm and dragged me along. I screamed out. What had taken Dragon I did not know, but he did not appear, and I was taken to the stable, shoved in at the door, and heard the bolt outside driven in.

There were openings high up to let in the air, but with all my activity I could not have reached them. Jeshurun seemed to smell me; he instantly began to lash out, to shake his halter, bite with his teeth, and snarl and shriek. My fear was mortal. I groped my way to the corner, and lay there quivering with terror. I felt sure that now I was going to be punished for all my sins. Suddenly something cold touched my hand; I shrieked with agony; the next moment Dragon's tongue licked my cheek. I threw my arms round his neck, and sobbed for joy. He sat up and bore my fondling with good nature.

Now I felt perfectly safe and happy, though Jeshurun seemed to be unwontedly frenzied. He must have known the dog was there. He kept moving from side to side and tugging fearfully at his halter. This had lasted two hours, and, getting tired of the noise, I was beginning to fall asleep with my head on Dragon's side, when he gave a great howl and a spring. I fell into the straw, happily for me, for the next moment there was a fearful noise. Jeshurun had got loose, and quivering down in my corner I could only make out from the fearful racket that the dog and horse were fighting. The one lashed out; the other, after one or two growls, ceased to do more than pant, and it seemed he had hold of the horse by the throat, and the latter vainly tried to rear and shake off the prodigious brute. The row was tremendous. Presently the door opened, Jeshurun rushed out, carrying the dog with him, and knocking the farmer, who had come out from his bed to see what was the matter, over senseless in his passage.

I got up and ran to the door. There was a sort of twilight, by which I could distinguish the horse rearing and the dog holding on. I stumbled over Farmer Mason, but picked myself up and ran. I had resolved to stay no longer in this frightful place. The fight was coming to an end. The horse sank down; the dog, terribly wounded by the brute's forefeet, was unable to move. I said—

"Good-bye, Dragon," quietly, and at a safe distance; and started off down the road in the opposite direction from the railway depot. It was the last I ever saw of Farmer Mason and his wife.

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Monthly Cattle Fairs.

OLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph fair
TEVIOTDALE.—Friday before the Guelph fair.
HARRISTON—Friday before the Guelph fair.
BOSWORTH—Saturday before Guelph.
MOORNFIELD—Monday before Guelph.
ELORA—The day before Guelph.
DOUGLAS—Monday before Elora Fair.
HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds he day after Guelph.
NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday in each month
BERLIN—First Thursday in each month.
ROCKWOOD—Tuesday before Guelph.
BRAMPTON—First Thursday in each month.
LITTOWEL—First Friday in each month.
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month.
MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in each month.
FERGUS—Thursday following Mount Forest.
HANOVER—Monday before Durham.
MONO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January April, July and October.
ERIN—First Monday in January, April, and October.
MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May August and November.
ACTON—Thursday following Guelph.
MARS—Second Wednesday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
CHARLESTON—Third Thursday in January, April July and October.
HOCKLEY—The last Thursday in January, April, July and October.
ROSEMONT—Fifteenth of February, April, June August, October and December.
PRIMROSE—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
ORANGEVILLE — The Second Thursday in each month.
MARSVILLE—Second Wednesday in each month
GALT—Wednesday after the second Tuesday.
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.
HILLSBURG—The Tuesday before the second Thursday in the month.
EDEN GROVE—Pinkerton Station, Brant, County Bruce, last Tuesday in each month.
WOODSTOCK—Second Thursday in each month.
DRAYTON—Saturday before Guelph.
NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday in each month
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month.
DURHAM—Third Tuesday in each month.
PRICEVILLE—Monday before Durham.
DUNDALK—Tuesday before Orangeville.
SHELBURNE—Wednesday before Orangeville
HESPELER—First Thursday in each month.
A cattle fair will be held at the Junction Hotel Elora Road the same day as the Elora fair.
ERIN FAIR—At Erin Village, on every Monday before the Guelph Fai
LUTHER—Tuesday before Orangeville, before the second Wednesday in each month.

Commercial.

Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE
GUELPH, June 28, 1880

Flour, per 100 lbs. retail..	$2 75 to 3 00
White Wheat, per bush..	0 95 to 1 00
Treadwell do	0 95 to 1 00
Spring (Glasgow), ...	0 95 to 1 02
Oats	0 35 to 0 37
Barley	0 55 to 0 60
Rye	0 60 to 0 65
Peas	0 64 to 0 68
Hay, per ton	7 00 to 8 00
Straw	2 50 to 3 50
Wood, per cord	3 00 to 4 00
Eggs, per doz	0 09 to 0 10
Butter, dairy packed	0 12 to 0 14
Butter, rolls	0 12 to 0 14
Apples, per bag	1 00 to 1 35
Potatoes, per bag	0 30 to 0 33
Sheep Skins	0 95 to 2 50
Hides	7 00 to 7 25
Wool, per lb	0 27 to 0 27
Dressed Hogs	5 50 to 6 00

Toronto Markets.

TORONTO, June 26, 1880

Fall Wheat, per bush..	$1 06 to 1 08
Spring Wheat	1 06 to 1 18
Barley	0 60 to 0 68
Oats	0 38 to 0 39
Peas	0 65 to 0 68
Dressed Hogs, per cwt....	6 50 to 7 00
Butter, lb. rolls	0 16 to 0 17
Butter, tub dairy	0 13 to 0 14
Eggs, per doz	0 13 to 0 15

Hamilton Markets.

HAMILTON, June 26, 1880

White Wheat, per bush....	$1 00 to 1 01
Spring Wheat	1 05 to 1 08
Red Wheat	1 00 to 1 02
Barley	0 50 to 0 60
Peas	0 50 to 0 55
Oats	0 36 to 0 38

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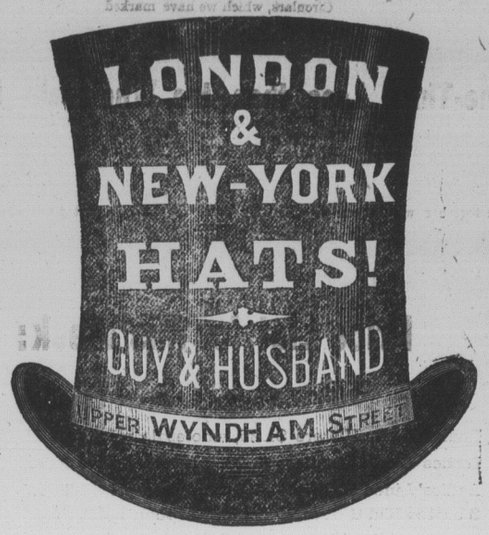

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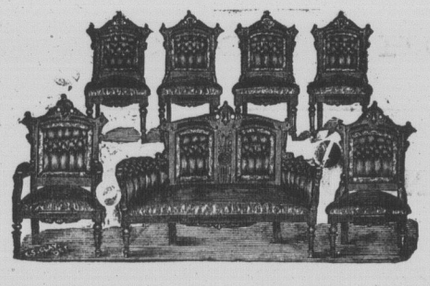

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