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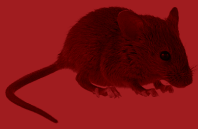
“James’ death was the happiest event in my whole life! Now my freedom is ensure to be eternal. I do not regret what I felt but I do not have more love to give to that family. Now I am Mr. Pawley’s widow. What an important name and how significant are my properties and wealth.
I am moving to the castle that he bought for us on our honeymoon in Scotland. It is a new start. No-one will know me and as I am a widow nobody will bother me to marry again.
I need to find myself again.”

“Today I met Murtagh Frayser in one of my trips to the city of Inverness. After the incident, we went to have tea together. It has been over three months since I came here and although I love reading all the books that I have in the library I also enjoy the company of interesting minds that challenges my debate skills. It was such a picturesque scene: I was wearing my new blue dress while he was wearing what I recon to be working clothes. Talking about how the world should be. Well, we might not be able to change the world but we can start changing Inverness.”
“I feared that once I told Murtagh my secret, the only man I have ever trusted, would disown me. But my lover took my hand and said it made no difference. He felt that I was a good person and that my true thoughts were nothing to fear or be worried about.”

“The cooperative works good and for sure Murtagh and I have earned a couple of fair enemies. We know that the conditions that we give to the workers are the ones that everybody should have.

However is a shame that we cannot call it by the name of cooperative and that me and Murtagh have to be the faces of the company but that is the price to pay in order to keep it running. It is not a big town and old fashioned mines are very trendy around here.

I do not think that Murtagh can give me more freedom. I always thought that sharing my life with a man would mean to loose the control of it.

With him, life means no chains at all and the male support that society needs to see in order to do whatever I want."