

A Bride's Body Guard.

TWENTY MEN PROTECT THE LADY FROM A SHOWER OF MISSILES.

In an old church in Gothland, in Sweden, a pile of lances is preserved. Each of the lances is fitted to hold a torch, and it is said the weapons were used at one time to give light and protection to marriage parties on the way to church, the ceremony taking place at night, as a precaution against the bride being taken away by some Lichinvar who claimed a better right to her than the duty recognized suitor.

A recent writer, describing a marriage at Khurdistan, says he saw a young man carrying off his bride, surrounded by a body-guard of some twenty or thirty men. These men were supposed to be protecting the happy couple from a party of young women, who hurled pieces of earth and bamboos at the procession, and made show of rescuing the bride. As soon, however as the bridegroom his own village with his charge the assailants ran home screaming and laughing.

Among themselves the term "best man" is said to be a survival of the time when the bridegroom had to get strong hands to aid him in securing the object of his affections. There is probably also a survival of the assaults that were then made on marriage parties in the showers of rice and old slippers bestowed so freely on the newly wedded.

Five Ways to Stop or Cure a Cold.

- 1. Bathe the feet in hot water and drink a pint of hot lemonade. Then sponge with salt water and remain in a warm room.
2. Bathe the face in very hot water every five minutes for an hour.
3. Snuff up the nostril hot salt water every three hours.
4. Inhale ammonia or menthol.
5. Take four hours' active exercise in the open air.

Summer colds are the worst of all colds of the season, as it is then very difficult to protect one's self properly. A ten grain dose of quinine will usually break up a cold in the beginning. Anything that will set the blood actively in circulation will do it, whether it be drugs or the use of a backsaw.

Local Notices.

- For one week, Acme Spring Skates, No. 5 steel, selling at 85 cents a pair.
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NOTICE. IT is the intention of the undersigned to apply for the City Council for exemption from taxation on the new Roller Flour Mill.

CHANGE OF TIME. BOSTON STEAMERS.

CARROLL and WORCESTER will leave Charlottetown every THURSDAY AFTERNOON at 4 o'clock, commencing 6th October.

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PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RAILWAY. 1887-8. Winter Arrangement. 1887-8.

ON AND AFTER THURSDAY, DECEMBER, 1st, 1887, Trains will run as follows:—

Table with 4 columns: STATIONS, No. 1, No. 3, No. 2, No. 4. Lists routes between Charlottetown, Alberton, Summerside, and other stations.

TRAINS FOR THE EAST. TRAINS FROM THE EAST.

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Railway Office, Charlottetown, Nov. 29, 1887.—all pas 6i

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STEAMER "HEATHER BELLE."

Fall Arrangement, 1887.

ON and after MONDAY, OCTOBER 2nd 1887, the steamer "Heather Belle," Hugh McLean, Master, will run as follows: Will leave Charlottetown for Hickey's Wharf, Charlottetown every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings at seven o'clock, calling at China Point and Halliday's Wharves.

Mortgage Sale

TO be Sold by Public Auction, on THURSDAY the third day of November, A. D. 1887, at Twelve o'clock, noon, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, in Queen's County, under a Power of Sale, contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the third day of July, A. D. 1877, and made between Thomas Henry Keating, of the one part, and Henry Skeffington Poole, of the other part.

ALL that piece of land, in Charlottetown in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, being part of Town Lot number forty-two (42), in the first hundred of Town Lots, in Charlottetown, commencing on the westward side of Queen Street, at the southeast angle of the property of William R. Watson, thence by a line at right angles to said street westwardly on or about eighty-six feet, or until it meets the division line between Town Lot number forty-two and said Town Lot forty-two in said hundred, thence along said division line southwardly seventy-two feet, or until it meets the northward edge of King Street, thence along King Street east twenty-two feet, or until it meets the west boundary of the property of the Bank of Prince Edward Island, thence following the course of the same southwardly on a line parallel with Queen Street forty-four feet, or to the northward boundary of said Bank property, thence following said northward boundary eastwardly for the distance of sixty-four feet, or until it strikes the westward edge of Queen Street, thence following Queen Street northwardly for the distance of twenty-eight feet, more or less, to the place of commencement.

For further particulars apply to Edward J. Hodgson, Solicitor, Charlottetown. Dated this 21st August, 1887. EDWARD J. HODGSON, Assessor of Mortgage.

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