

THE WEDDING MORNING.

(ADDRESSED TO THE MARRIAGEABLE.)

Encouraged by the success which has attended the efforts of the original devisers of the system, Mr. Punch respectfully announces to the nobility, gentry, and (Protestant) clergy, and all other persons likely or liable to marry, that he is about to open an establishment for the supply of every thing requisite and desirable at a wedding.

The purpose to confide the providing the mere necessaries, as well as of the rarest vintages, the breakfast, plate, china, servants, carriages, and bridecake, to the parties who habitually adventure their readiness to undertake such provision, and who, so far as he knows, acquit themselves with great credit. They will, of course, be enchanted to act as subordinates in carrying out the schemes he is now about to submit.

The best startling novelty of Mr. Punch's system is, that he undertakes to provide The Other Party. Any lady or gentleman, therefore, who may have obtained his or her consent to be married, has merely to write to Mr. Punch, ordering "the breakfast and the usual accessories."

If wished, one of Mr. Punch's young men will attend a party destined to be married, with daguerreotypes of Other Parties on hand. The selected Party exchanged, if not approved of, but, in the case of a lady, not later than twelve o'clock, or if a gentleman, than six o'clock, on the day preceding that of the ceremony. Hair and teeth warranted, but neither age nor temper. Any amount of certificates and testimonials, however, may be had as to any point. Mr. Punch having engaged several eminent Begging-Letter Writers to manufacture these to order.

Arrangements with the leading Ladies' Establishments in the metropolis and suburbs, enable Mr. Punch, to offer selections from an assortment of the most charming Bridesmaids who ever cried before or after. Due regard will, of course, be had in producing, or in avoiding, contrast between a lady and her bridal attendants. A group of old maids, with undeniably wags, kept for occasions when younger bridesmaids may be deemed undesirable.

Several elegant young gentlemen, with others of more mature years, have been engaged, and will always be ready to enact the Bridegroom's friends, brothers, cousins, school-fellows, or any other relations that may be desirable. (Parties finding their own plate need be under no apprehension for their spoons, a police-man, disguised as a city uncle, invariably accompanying the party.) Moustaches, or not, as may be ordered.

A heavy father, either for Bride or Bridegroom, can be provided and he will be warranted to soli audibly at the ceremony, and, if wished, to embrace the clergymen convulsively, and call for water in the vestry. He will be furnished with a chastely pathetic speech for the breakfast. A comic gentleman will also be sent to return thanks for the bridesmaids, and Mr. Punch's connexion with the journal bearing his name is a warranty for this party being supplied with novel and discreet jokes.

Clergy furnished according to the views of the parishes. Those of the Clapham School entail a somewhat increased expense on account of their large consumption of the table, and a Puseyite will also be charged extra on account of the cost of the dress, which can be used for no other purpose except on the fifth of November; but it is suggested that this official be left to Mr. Punch's selections, he undertaking on no account to introduce an Irishman.

A member of parliament (with a speech), a family solicitor (clerk with parchments perpetually in the way, extra,) a peer, a baron, or any other character which may be thought desirable to enhance the color of the affair, will be supplied at the shortest notice. Any number of foreign noblemen without additional charge, and with orders, ribbons, and broken English complete.

Attached servants of both sexes, who have known either party, as may be wished, since childhood will be included, and will cry violently, either in the hall, or when bringing in coffee, or at any cue which may be arranged. A white headed old butler, with an agonized benediction on his young master or mistress (whose father saved his life), may be had, but as he is on the staff of a suburban theatre this touching effect must be arranged so as not to interfere with his hour for rehearsals elsewhere. A fashionable milliner and a first rate tailor always in waiting.

Lovely letters, as also letters of congratulation, with wedding presents from distant friends in constant readiness. Sentiments of such communications inserted to order, and warrantied to read well when handed round. N. B. Christenings on a similar system, and everything found except the Baby.

CLAYE DAVY, or A French Train.—A thief recently entered one of the fashionable madame lined shops in Paris, and asked to see sundry articles for his wife, for whom, he said, he was preparing a pleasant surprise. "But," said he to the attending damsel, "I wish to be sure of a correct fit. My wife is about your height; she has like you, a fine figure, the carriage of a queen. Will you be so obliging, since my wife has just your size, or very near it, to try on this chemise over your dress?" She complied, and the thief, pretending to draw it down, attached it, by means of a large carpet pin, to all her clothes. He then ordered a dozen like it at five francs each. The shop girl, well satisfied, attempted to take off the chemise, but finding that, as she raised it, her clothes came up with it, she ran into an adjoining room, where the thief made off with all he could lay his hands upon.

PROSPECTUS
OF THE
Charlottetown Gas Company.PROVISIONAL COMMITTEE:
Hon. DANIEL BROWN, Chairman;
Hon. CHARLES YOUNG, Vice-Chairman;
Hon. JAMES HARRIS, Esq.;
Mr. JAMES ANDREWS, Esq.;
James D. HANNA, Esq.;
George DEBLIE, Esq.

THE superiority and advantages of Gas over every other fuel, for lighting Towns are so self-evident and universally acknowledged, that it would be superfluous to dilate on the subject; and it is only surprising that, while every Town and considerable Village in Great Britain, as also many Towns in the neighbouring Provinces, are lighted by Gas, this, the Capital of Prince Edward Island, should be still in darkness.

To supply this deficiency, it is now proposed to form a Gas Stock Company—so to incorporate by Act of the Legislature, as a corporation of \$20,000, to 1200 Shares of \$50 each, to be managed by a body of Directors, annually chosen by the Shareholders.

As many of the inhabitants of Charlottetown may be comparatively unacquainted with the practical results of Gas Company, it may be proper to observe, that a Joint Stock Company for the purpose of lighting the Town with Gas, can hardly be called a speculation; because it is now necessary, by reference to the general reports and decisions of the Committee of Great Britain, and the other Colonies, that whenever they have been managed with ordinary prudence and economy, they have yielded a certain and steady return of annual interest on the capital invested.

Previous to bringing the scheme before the public, the Provisional Committee had been in correspondence with competent parties, both in the neighbouring Provinces and in Great Britain, and from the information thus obtained, and the estimates they have received, are of opinion that the Land, Site, Apparatus, Machinery and Pipes requisite to enable the Company to go fully into operation, may be acquired and completed for and with the proposed capital.

To enable the Company to commence operations at once, and on the most advantageous terms, it has been resolved that a deposit of £1 per share be paid on the allocation of shares, and that no further call be made, till the Act of Incorporation is obtained; and that such further calls shall be payable by such instalments, and at such intervals, as the Directors may judge most convenient for the Shareholders and the requirements of the Company.

Although certain spirited individuals were prepared to subscribe the whole of the requisite Capital, it is deemed but fair to give the public an opportunity of participating in the advantages of the undertaking; and for this purpose the Subscription List will remain open at the Office of Mr. LAWSON, Interim Secretary to the Committee, more than one-half of the Shares being already subscribed.

JOHN LAWSON, In. Secretary.
February 2, 1852.

Office—DeBry's Buildings, Queen-street, same door as the Clerk of Commissioners of Small Debts & UP STAIRS.

In addition to its greater economy, Gas Light may also be considered safer than any other ordinary Light. It produces no sparks or scorch; is conveniently placed in contact with bed curtains, or substances easily ignited, and it requires scarcely any attention. It may be turned down in an instant to the most minute speck of flame, ready to be restored to full brilliancy when necessary, by the simple turning of the stop cock; and even when it escapes by the carelessness of an attendant, or a defect in the fitting, it at once indicates the accident, and immediately extinguished, by the disengagement of the bulb.

From the large quantity which must be mixed with atmospheric air before it becomes explosive, it is scarcely possible that this accident should occur, in any ordinary apartment, even if the Gas were allowed to escape for the purpose. And as it is small so instantly indicates its presence in cells, or other confined situations, where it may have escaped from the accidental breaking, or leakage of a pipe, it is only by the greatest care and judgment that a light may be approached to it, before it has been allowed to escape by the free admission of air. There is no such thing as the bursting of a pipe, or the blowing up of a Gasometer.

RELATIVE EXPENSE.—The relative cost of Gas has been generally considered not to exceed one-third to one-half the cost of tallow candles.

MAINE LAW PETITION.—PARTIES in charge of the MAINE LAW PETITION, for the Island of Maine, respectfully request to use their best exertions to have the same, as numerously and speedily as possible, turned over to the Subscribers; who is duly authorized to receive and grant receipts for the same.

N. B.—Return the Petition by some careful hand, addressed to Mr. J. W. MORRISON, No. 3, Queen Street, Charlottetown.

JAMES MORRIS,
Sec'y. of Com. Com.
Charlottetown, Feb. 7, 1852.

NOTICE.—THE TENANTS OF THOMAS HEATH HAVILAND, Esq., on Townships Numbers 48 and 49 and other Lands in the Island, are requested to make immediate payment of the amount of Rent due to the Subscribers; who is duly authorized to receive and grant receipts for the same.

T. HEATH HAVILAND,
Barrister-at-Law.
Queen Square, Nov. 29, 1852.

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.
Between Spring and Broad Streets, Broadway,
NEW YORK.

TREADWELL, ACKER & CO., PROPRIETORS.—This magnificent MARBLE HOTEL, unequalled in architectural beauty, and in all the appliances ministering to comfort and luxury, will be opened on the 1st Decr. next, by the Proprietors.

Centrally situated between the fashionable and business portions of the city, it presents unrivaled advantages in point of location. The edifice was erected for the Hon. Messrs. TREADWELL & ACKER, by D. H. Height, Esq., and the interior arrangements as regards ventilation, &c., are an entirely original plan. It is the design of the undersigned to render the ST. NICHOLAS of all respects MODEL HOTEL of the very highest class, and to give it a reputation in all its departments which shall be known and appreciated throughout the civilized world.

J. P. TREADWELL,
J. P. ACKER,
NEW YORK, November 30, 1852.

TWO STRAY SHEEPM.—A stray Wether Sheep, with both ears cut off, have been lost on the Subscribers' Farm since December last. The Owner can have them on proving property, or by giving a sum of both ears off a silk knot in the middle, and a strong split on the upper part of the right ear. The Owner will be required to come and take him away and pay expenses.

THOMAS HEARTZ,
Feb. 10th, 1852.

25,000 HESSIAN SECARS, will be sold at

1 Goo Bay Stewards, bargain.

WILLIAM T. FAWN,
Charlottetown, Jan. 11.

THOMAS HEARTZ,
Feb. 10th, 1852.

STRAY SHEEP.—A stray Wether Sheep, has been on the Subscribers' Farm since the first snow this winter. The Owner can have it on proving property, or by giving a sum of both ears off a silk knot in the middle, and a strong split on the upper part of the right ear. The Owner will be required to come and take him away and pay expenses.

CHARLES MACNEIL,
Long Creek, Lot 55, Feb. 10th, 1852.

FALL SUPPLY.
THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS FOR SALE, A
GENERAL ASSORTMENTOF
BRITISH MANUFACTURED GOODS,
MILLINERY, &c. &c.

Just arrived per Raft Sir Alexander, from Eng-

land. — 1000 lbs. of Wool, 1000 lbs. of

Cotton, 1000 lbs. of Linen, 1000 lbs. of

Silk, 1000 lbs. of Flannel, 1000 lbs. of

Muslin, 1000 lbs. of Calico, 1000 lbs. of

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