



Captain Crowe Chastises Fellows

As Captain Crowe, who is on a visit to his mother, at Prospect House, Devizes, was driving home from Conock last Thursday evening, he was accosted by two men, who asked him to give them a lift. On his refusal they caught hold of the reins, which so excited the horse that the carriage, which contained four ladies inside, was very nearly upset.

The Captain however was quickly off the box, and being a strong powerful man, he administered such a chastisement to one of the fellows as to render him almost insensible: whilst the other, seeing the blood flowing, and the condition to which his companion was speedily reduced, made the best of his way off.

Whether the fellows meant mischief, or had been drinking too freely, we do not know; but whichever may have been the case, their stoppage of Capt. Crowe is an event they are not likely to forget.

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