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Bloctrical Students' Competition.

In the announcement which appeared in last issue headed "Canadian Electrical Students' Competition," a typo-

graphical error was made. In the subjects of theses, No. 5 should have read, "A Concise Description of a Method of Testing Transformers for Efficiency at Various Loads, both as regards Regulation and Core Students of electricity who may not have learned of the competition mentioned are referred to our December issue for particulars, and are urged to enter the list of competitors for the prizes offered.

THE arbitrators named to adjust the Settlement by Arbi- difficulties between the Grand Trunk Railway Company and the telegraph

operators employed on the road assumed their duties in Toronto on January 7th. The company is represented by Mr. B. B. Osler, Q. C., the telegraphers by Grand Master Sergeant, while Chief Justice Meredith is acting as the third arbitrator. The two subjects to be adjusted are a minimum rate of wages and the hours of labor, and those interested believe that an early settlement will be arrived at. That this method of reaching an understanding between the representatives of capital and labor has been decided upon, is a tribute to the greater enlightenment of the people in the closing years of the nineteenth century. The day seems near at hand when labor strikes will become relics of the past.

An interesting paper on this subject Long Distance Trans-was recently presented before the Society of Arts, Lendon, by Prof.

George Forbes, under whose direction the huge enterprise of the Cataract Power Co. at Niagara Falls was planned and put in operation. Prof. Forbes gives it as his opinion that electric power can be transmitted to a