THE TORONTO WORLD.

THURSDAY MORNING, DEC. 4, 1884.

A LOSING GAME.

The Commercial Travelers at Variance With the Intercolonial Railway.

From the Montreal Star.

The majority of the members of the Dominion Commercial Travelers' association visiting the maritime provinces are greatly exercised over their treatment at the hands of the Intercolonial railway. Although this class of patrons have been accorded commutation tickets as on other railways, yet they have found by experience that in many instances a considerable saving can be accomplished by purchasing the ordinary passenger return tickets, which, however, only entitle the holder to carry fifty pounds of baggage. For the round trip, St. John, N.B., to Halifax and return, the fare is three dollars and a half less than by the commutation ticket. In the same ratio the commutation ticket from Montreal to Halifax and return at $38 50 could be reduced by nearly four dollars. Commercial travelers, who in some cases found the latter method the most preferable way to travel, were recently taken aback when the management of the road resolved upon an expedient to suppress the continued decrease in revenue. Consequently an order was recently issued enacting that the travelers could only have their baggage checked by producing the regular commutation ticket. In an increditable short time this intelligence, which was received with disgust by the members of the association, had the effect of enormously reducing this class of travel over the Intercolonial. All the representatives of the large mercantile and manufacturing houses of Toronto and Montreal now take the Grand Trunk to Portland, thence proceeding through the state of Maine by the New Brunswick railway to St. John. The feeling of the commercial men has become so strong against the Intercolonial that rather than afford them any business they cross the Bay of Fundy by steamer to some of the northern towns, thence proceeding to Halifax. The general impression prevails in the association that the railway officials have needlessly harrassed and restricted them while in the discharge of their duties. It is also claimed that unless the offensive regulation is removed the road will permanently lose the patronage of the association. The secretary, H. W. Wadsworth, who has been the recipient of a number of complaints, has taken prompt action, and has just addressed a letter on the subject to the general passenger agent. He expects a reply daily and is confident that an amicable arrangement will be arrived at, when the state of affairs created by the unfortunate order is learned by the railway authorities.

Drive It Away.

—Drive away all poisonous humor from the blood before it develops in scrofula or some chronic form of disease. Burdock Blood Bitters will do it. 246

Amusement Notes.

The program at the Grand opera house will be changed to-night to the Colleen Bawn. This is one of Mr. Boucicault's own, and a good performance may of course be looked for. Colleen Bawn will be presented up to the matinee on Saturday. Saturday night Mr. Boucicault closes with Arrah na Pogue.

The show at the People's theatre is drawing well, and it deserves to. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen, Mealy & Hague, Mat Farnan, Hulmes & Orville and the Messenger quartette are nightly received with liberal applause. There will be a matinee this afternoon. Montague's dude and specialty company next week.

Ages of Canada's Public Men.

—Sir John A. Macdonald is 70.
Sir Leonard Tilley is 66.
Sir Hector Langevin is 58.
Sir Charles Tupper is 63.
Hon. Mackenzie Bowell is 61.
Hon. John Carling is 56.
Hon. John Costigan is 49.
Hon. A. P. Caron is 41.
Sir D. L. Macpherson is 66.

DINEEN, hatter and furrier, corner King and Yonge streets, does not know how old he is, the family record having been lost or stolen some years ago, but one thing he does know, and that is that he has the finest stock of fur mantles in town. —Advt.

A New Law Firm.

The practice is growing for the young lawyers when they have got their gowns to go into an old-established firm—on salary. But A. G. F. Lawrence and T. C. Milligan, who were admitted to the bar recently, have formed a partnership and hung out a shingle in the Building and Loan chambers. They are both university men, schooled in two prominent law firms in the city, and with enough energy to win their clients or bust in the attempt.

A Settled Fact.

—It is a significant fact that Hagyard's Yellow Oil is the best household remedy for internal and external use in case of pain, soreness, lameness and inflammatory complaints. 246

Officers of King Solomon's Lodge.

The annual convocation of King Solomon's lodge R. A. C., No. 8 G. R. C., was held last night, when the following officers were elected: Ex-Comp. E. T. Malone, Z; Comp. J. H. Knifton, J.; ex-Comp. A. Minister, scribe E; Comp. John Akers, scribe N; Comp. S. Brown, P. S; Comp. J. H. Pritchard, janitor.

Legal Briefs.

The sittings of the chancery divisional court have been postponed till Dec. 18.

The demurrer in the bribery case has been set down for hearing to day. A motion on the part of the defendant, Mr. Meek, to quash the third count of the indictment, will be heard along with the demurrer.

Parkdale Reform Association.

The Parkdale reform association has elected the following officers for next year: President, J. S. Lockie; 1st vice-president, T. W. Thompson; 2d vice president, J. M. Wingfield; secretary, J. S. Threlkeld; assistant secretary, J. C. Mussen; treasurer, J. C. Morgan.

Notice.

—For good dinners and suppers patronize Kerby's restaurant, King street west, George & Prax (late of Staneland's), proprietors.—Advt.

Fort Macleod No Longer.

From the Macleod Gazette.

It will be noticed this week that we have omitted the Fort from the heading of the Gazette, making it simply the Macleod Gazette. With all due modesty, we christen the town in its really proper name, viz., Macleod. The government first set the example on the maps of the townsite. The town is quite distinct from the fort, the latter being a considerable distance from the western limits of the town site.

SPORTING NOTES.

Racing at Brighton Beach.

BRIGHTON BEACH, Dec. 3.—First race, ¾ mile, Red Fox won, Typhoon 2, Agincourt 3; time 1.22¼. Second race, 1¼ miles, Jim Carlisle won, Tunis 2, Patterson 3; time 2.18¾. Third race, 1¼ miles, Woodflower won, Herbert 2, Centennial 3; time 2.17¼. Fourth race, 1½ miles, Sangerley won, Huron 2, Jim Carlisle 3; time 2.17¾. Fifth race, 7 furlongs, Skookum won, Miller 2, Ruchiel 3; time 1.36¾.

To Owners of Sporting Dogs.

Gentlemen owning sporting dogs and who are in favor of forming a new club are requested to meet in the reading-room (up-stairs) at W. Clow's restaurant, Colborne street, to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The club will have for its objects the perfecting of dog-swimming, dog-racing, hurdle-racing, and such other sports as trained dogs are capable of taking part in. A good turn out of dog owners is expected.

Moffet Runs Robinson to a Standstill.

A couple of hundred sports gathered at the Rosedale grounds yesterday afternoon to witness the quarter mile footrace between Moffet of Montreal and Robinson of Parkhill for $250 a side. P. D. Ross, sporting editor of the Mail, was requested to act as referee, but he declined the honor, and James Douglas of the Aquatic was selected. Moffet was favorite by about 25 to 15. The race was devoid of interest after the first 250 yards had been covered. Moffet forced the pace for that distance and ran his opponent to a standstill. The Montreal man finished in a jog, not exerting himself in the least. Some of his friends say Robinson was out of condition.

Ye Correct Time.

—How is your time? If wrong have your watches and clocks repaired by R. Given Doherty, 205 Queen street west, who will do your work skilfully, cheaply and punctually. No "slop work" taken in: no "fancy prices" charged. 136

Mr. Buntin Bows to the Law.

From the Montreal Star.

On hearing the sentence Mr. Buntin said that he was prepared for it, and it was no more than he expected. To a representative of the Star Mr. Buntin said, "Do you not think it is too bad? What have I done? As soon as I was informed by my legal adviser that I had acted illegally by withdrawing the money I returned it with interest. I feel that I have done nothing that I need be ashamed of, but I bow to the law." Mr. Buntin was driven to the jail in a carter's sleigh. He will occupy a room in the debtor's ward, and furnish his own bed and bedding and food.

Won't It be Just Awful?

From the Chicago Herald.

A scientist says the tides are slowly lessening the speed of the earth's rotation, and the time is coming when one day, instead of being twenty-four hours as now, will be twenty-eight days. This will cause some inconvenience. There will be so much news occurring during the day that morning papers will have to issue twenty-four page supplements in order to get it all in. And fancy a thanksgiving day 672 hours long. A man would be almost famished if he had to wait until noon for his roast turkey. And on Sunday a young man couldn't wait until evening to visit his best girl. He would call three or four times during the forenoon. It is probable that we shall move before the days become twenty-eight days long.

A Gander that Danced.

From the Popular Science Monthly.

A friend sends me an account of a bobolink that, placed in a cage with some canaries, exhibited great delight at their songs. He did not sing himself, but with a peculiar cluck could always set the canaries singing. After a while he began to learn their songs note by note, and, in the course of a few weeks, mastered the entire song. A lively air on a violin will sometimes set a whole flock of geese wild with delight. On one occasion, at a country wedding, I was witness of a curious performance by one of these animals. After dinner a lady entertained the guests assembled on the lawn with music from an accordeon. A flock of geese were feeding in the road just below the house, and with outstretched necks answered back with loud notes of satisfaction. Soon a white gandor commenced dancing a lively jig, keeping good time to the music. For several minutes he kept up the performance, to the great delight of the company. The experiment was tried several times for a week or more, and the tones of the accordeon never failed to set the old gander into a lively dance.

Economy.

—The secret of economy lies in the buying of upholstering, such a parlor or drawing-room suites, in the purchaser going to an establishment where they make it a specialty of manufacturing first-class goods. T. F. Cummings, 349 Yonge street, has the reputation of being an experienced workman, who thoroughly understands his business. You can rest fully assured of getting what you want, and at reasonable figures.

The Brain a Scrap Book.

From the San Francisco Chronicle.

What is the brain but a scrap-book? If, when we are asleep, some one could peep in there, what would he find? Lines from favorite poets, stray bits of tune and snatches from songs, melodies from operas, sentences from books, strange meaningless dates, recollections of childhood vague and gradually growing faint, moments of perfect happiness, hours of despair and misery. The first kiss of childhood lovers, the first parting of bosom friends, the word of praise or the word of blame of a fond mother, pictures of men and women, hopes and dreams that came to nothing, unrequited kindnesses, gratitude for favors, quarrels and reconciliations, old jokes, and through them all the thread of one deep and enduring passion for some one man or woman that may have been a misery or a delight.

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Friendship and Love.

As feels the port for ships that come and go.
That tarry for a night, and in the day
Spread canvas and go sailing far away
To other ports of which may not know,
In unconjectured countries, even so
Man feels for man; nor long may friendship stay;
And little of its joy or its dismay
May any friend's heart to another show.

As feels the spirit of the melody
That, slumbering in a viol, a touch will start,
As feels the sun-thrilled sap within a tree,
So man and woman feel, when heart and heart
They live, and know this miracle to be,
In soul together, though to sense apart.

Changing the Text of the Bible.

Most of the errors of the press may fairly be ascribed to carelessness and mischance. Others, however, are on record which have been committed knowingly and intentionally, and so can scarcely be classed as errors. They have been mostly connected with biblical matters, and intend to further party interests. It is said that Field, a printer of the time of Charles I., was paid £1500 by the independents to alter a single letter in the third verse of Acts vi., so as to make the word "we" read "ye," and so give the right of appointing pastors to the people, and not to the apostles.

No Tears.

"No tears to weep!" And wherefore not
Say, is thy sorrow such?
And has thy heart no tender spot
That sympathy may touch?
Can no kind word unlock the springs,
And give thy tears their flow?
Are human woes such selfish things
That none their depths may know?

"No tears to weep!" Nay, speak not thus,
For tears can bring relief,
And God has sent them unto us
To wash away our grief;
When earthly sorrow, pain and care
Our souls in sadness steep,
We pray to Him who heareth prayer
To send us tears to weep.

'Tis true the world is sometimes dark
With gloomy clouds that rise,
And trembling hope, with waning spark,
Fades faintly out—and dies!
But when some heavenly vision fair
Steals o'er us in our sleep,
We wake with joy to feel that *there*—
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Signed WM. ELY AINGE,
Signed FRED. H. GOOCH.

Witness Signed J. H. Mitchell.
Dated Dec. 3rd, 1884.

ST. JOHN'S WARD.

TO ALD. JOHN IRWIN:

DEAR SIR: We, the undersigned ratepayers of St. John's ward, having heard with deep regret your intention to retire from the civic council at the end of the year, and having viewed your conduct and actions in the past, we would earnestly request you to again allow yourself to be nominated as one of our representatives at the aldermanic board, and hereby pledge ourselves to use every honest means to secure your election thereto:

A'd. H. Piper,	Frank Somers,
Geo. Boxall,	Chas. Somers,
John Fraser,	Wm. Baillie,
J. Wilson,	T. H. Bills,
W. A. Brown,	R. McIntyre,
Wm. R. Bettles,	T. Milligan,
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Ætna Life, Hartford	$2,258,875	$575,994	$172,397	$725,000
Canada Life	3,602,250	799 824	131,713	54,000
Confederation	2,280,662	309,377	94,639	75,467
Equitable, N.Y.	1,945,000	302,464	82 039	365,000
Life Association, Hamilton	433,016	47,622	10,315	9,549
London & Lancashire	1 056,144	1 6,431	37,731	109,822
North American	1,347,088	90,941	56,588	50,000
Ontario Mutual	1,907,500	180,5 3	50,070	91,780
Standard, of Edinboro'	936,031	259 295	64 572	155,900
Sun, of Montreal	1,505,133	174,035	25,471	5 400
Travellers, Hartford	555,110	117,-80	22,075	140,500
Union Mutual, Portland	709,250	113,449	18,645	170,000

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INSIDE DIVISION.

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J. A. CHAPLEAU, Secretary of State.
Department of Secretary of State,
Ottawa, 11th Nov., 1884.

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THE NEWS FLASHED ACROSS THE OCEAN BY CABLE.

O'Brien Out of Order—Liberalism in Spain—In Defence of Gladstone—Rebels Beaten at Suakim.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—In the house of commons to-day Bannerman, chief secretary of Ireland, replying to the question as to whether the government would prosecute the authors of the articles in United Ireland, inciting to crime and disaffection, said the government was awake to the evil of the articles referred to, but doubted the wisdom of giving fictitious importance to the paper by prosecuting it.

An exciting scene ensued.

O'Brien, editor of United Ireland, jumped to his feet and declared the chief secretary was making an attack on him.

The speaker interposed, declared O'Brien out of order and called the next question.

O'Brien resumed his seat shouting that this was another sample of British fair play.

A SORTIE AT SUAKIM.

The Rebels Repulsed—Fifteen Killed—No British Loss.

CAIRO, Dec. 4.—The rebels attacked Suakim at midnight Wednesday, the sortie lasting three hours when they were repulsed with a loss of fifteen killed and a large number wounded. Blood traces were found on the line of retreat a distance of five miles. There was no British loss.

PROTECTION IN FRANCE.

Proposed Increase of Duties on Foreign Bread Stuffs.

PARIS, Dec. 4.—The committee of deputies decided to propose to the chamber an increase in the duty upon foreign corn to 2 francs 40 centimes per ceutner; on flour to 7 francs per barrel; on oats to 1 franc 50 centimes per centner; and on barley to 2 francs per centner.

Affairs in South Africa.

CAPE TOWN, Dec. 4.—General Warren, sent here to command the forces which are to operate against the Boers, arrived today and was greeted with an enthusiastic reception.

Meetings will be held throughout the colony to denounce the interference by the colonial government with Bechauana. The universal opinion is that the time has arrived to settle forever the question of English or Dutch supremacy upon the Cape.

Cannibals Declared Guilty of Murder.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The case of Capt. Dudley and the mate of the wrecked yacht Mignonette, who killed the boy Parker to keep themselves alive, and against whom a verdict was found in accordance with the facts, was heard to day by a full bench of the court of appeal. Chief Justice Coleridge, in pronouncing his decision, said that all the judges were agreed that the act amounted to murder and the conviction must be affirmed.

The Chinese Mean Blood.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—A Hong Kong despatch says the Chinese appear to have abandoned all hopes of mediation between their government and France, and have determined to adopt a vigorous policy. Twelve men-of-war have been ordered to sea to engage the French fleet and relieve Formosa of the blockade. Germans hold various posts on board the fleet, one of them commanding a ship under the Chinese admiral.

Liberalism in Spain.

MADRID, Dec. 4.—Gen. Surrano presided last night at a meeting of delegates of the dynastic lefts from all parts of the kingdom. Speeches were made by several members denouncing the government. The newspapers consider this demonstration as very significant; it has agitated the state and parties.

Madame Hugue's Victim.

PARIS, Dec. 4.—Morin, shot by Madame Hugues, suffers most acute agony. He utters piercing shrieks all night long, and drinks milk cognac and rum with great avidity. His left hand is tied to prevent him tearing the bandages from his head. His right arm is paralyzed.

England and the Niger.

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—The memorial of Malet, asserting the claims of England to the Niger country, created an excellent impression among the delegates to the Congo conference. A decision in favor of England is considered certain.

Bismarck on Gladstone.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—In the commons Ashmead Bartlett gave notice that he would call the attention of the house to the disparaging remarks made by Bismarck in the reichstag yesterday upon Gladstone and his cabinet.

Poisoning the French.

PARIS, Dec. 4.—Gen. De Lisle telegraphs that an imperial decree urging the native to poison the French has been placarded in Loch Nau. It was issued he says by order of the viceroy of Kwang Tung.

The Skye Crofters Heard From.

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The Skye crofters are declaring in favor of the no rent policy. They maintain that the island by right belongs to them.

CABLE NOTES.

The Austrian budget shows a deficit of 16,000,000 florins.

Snow has stopped railway communication between East Prussia and Russia.

Trade riots have taken place at Wisbab, on the African gold coast. Two men killed.

The franchise bill passed through committee in the