The Earl and the Commercial Traveller.

From the Court Journal.

The Earl of Rosebery was on a journey to a race meeting at Ayr, and for his companion in the railway carriage had a remarkably pushing specimen of the commercial traveller who attempted to force a speaking acquaintance. Seeing his lordship perusing the *Racing Calendar*, he "broke earth" with the remark:

"Racing is a great institution. Suppose you are going to Ayr meeting?"

"I am going as far as Ayr," replied his lordship.

"Pity young swells get fleeced by blacklegs. Some noblemen, I hear, drop fortunes on the turf."

"Indeed!"

"Do a bit myself, sometimes—a tenner or a pony's about my cut. Know anything good for to-day worth my while touching?"

"I am not a tipster."

"Beg pardon; saw you reading the *Racing Calendar*, thought you might know."

"Well," replied his lordship with a quiet smile. "If I give you the straight tip, will it be of service to you?"

"Depends if I fancy it."

"Put your tenner or pony on Lord Rosebery's Chevronel for the Welter cup."

"Not for Joseph! I never back Lord Rosebery's horses. They say he's a regular chumpkin."

"Indeed! perhaps they're right. However, you asked me. I can only add that I heard Lord Rosebery himself tell what you term a chumpkin to back his horse.

"Depend upon it, if it was all right he would not let you overhear his conversation. Mum would then be his game. Why, there's a lot in that race. I'll bet you a pony Lord Rosebery don't win it."

"Really, I am not accustomed to bet in railway carriages with strangers."

"There's my card. Fact is, you ain't game to bet."

"I think you'll lose your money; but, as you challenge me, let it be a bet. You'll see me in the stewards' enclosure at the course. I have no cards with me."

"Agreed. It's a bet. I bet you an even pony against Chevronel for the Welter cup. But what's your name, youngfellow?"

"Primrose. Sometimes I am otherwise addressed."

"All right, Primrose; pay and receive after the race." The companions separated at the station. Chevronel won in a canter, and the commercial received next morning a short note by a messenger from the steward's stand: "Mr Primrose (Lord Rosebery) would feel obliged by Mr.——handing to his servant £25 which his lordship will have much pleasure in fowarding as a donation to the Commercial Travelers' Orphan Asylum."

The commercial paid his money-looking very crestfallen, and was heard to ejaculate, "Done! Who on earth would have dreamt that the good-looking affable young fellow, whom I imagined was a chumpkin, was in fact none other than the Earl of Rosebery, giving me a good honest tip about his own horse, by which I was fool enough to lose £25! Any way, he's a regular trump, and he's right—I'm the chumpkin, after all!"

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Mail Express	12:10 a. m.	5:20 a. m.
Way Passenger	4:30 a. m.	8:05 a. m.
Mail Train via Mt. Joy	7:30 a. m.	9:55 a. m.
No. 3 Mail Train	via Columbia	9:55 a. m.
Niagara Express	7:40 a. m.	9:55 a. m.
Hanover Accom.	via Columbia	9:55 a. m.
Fast Line	11:20 a. m.	2:00 p. m.
Frederick Accom.	via Columbia	2:10 p. m.
Lancaster Accom.	via Mt. Joy	2:55 p. m.
Harrisburg Accom.	2:10 p. m.	5:55 p. m.
Columbia Accom.	5:05 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Harrisburg Express	6:00 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Western Express	9:50 p. m.	11:40 p. m.

EASTWARD.	Leave Lancaster.	Arrive at Philadelphia.
Philadelphia Express	3:30 a. m.	6:55 a. m.
Fast Line	8:05 a. m.	11:40 a. m.
Harrisburg Express	8:19 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
Lancaster Accom.	9:35 a. m.	via Mt. Joy
Columbia Accom.	9:00 a. m.	11:40 a. m.
Southern Express	12:05 p. m.	3:40 p. m.
Philadelphia Accom.	3:00 p. m.	6:55 p. m.
Sunday Mail	4:30 p. m.	8:05 p. m.
Day Express	4:45 p. m.	8:05 p. m.
Harrisburg Accom.	6:35 p. m.	10:25 p. m.

The Lancaster Accommodation leaves Harrisburg at 8:10 p. m. and arrives at Lancaster at 9:55 p. m.

The Marietta Accommodation leaves Columbia at 6:40 a. m. and reaches Marietta at 8:05. Also leaves Columbia at 11:05 a. m. and 6:45 p. m., reaching Marietta at 12:01 noon and 7:40 p. m. Returning leaves Marietta at 8:05 p. m. and arrives at Columbia at 9:30; also, leaves at 8:35 and arrives at 9:55.

The York Accommodation leaves Marietta at 7:10 and arrives at Lancaster at 8:30 connecting with Harrisburg Express at 8:30 a. m.

The Mail Train, leaving Harrisburg, west, connecting at Lancaster with Fast Line, west, at 2:00 p. m., will run through to Frederick.

The Frederick Accommodation, east, leaves Columbia at 12:35 and reaches Lancaster at 2:10 p. m.

Hanover Accommodation, East, leaves Columbia at 4:10 p. m. Arrives at Lancaster at 4:30 p. m., connecting with Day Express.

Hanover Accommodation, west, connecting at Lancaster with Niagara Express at 9:30 a. m., will run through to Hanover, daily, except Sunday.

Fast Line, west, on Sunday, when flagged, will stop at Downingtown, Coatesville, Parkesburg, Mt. Joy, Elizabethtown and Middletown.

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