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in Wiarton next winter.—Canadian. Beside the Hazels. The spectacle of lot.—Orangeville Post.

IN A LONDON SEWER.

The Misadventure of a Party of Underground Explorers.

The great London sewer which passes underground by Bermondsey and Deptford, and has its ou fall at Greenwich, was the scene the other day of a terrible misadventure, says The London Telegraph. Three of the London County Council's sewermen descended at Albion street. Rotherhithe, about Kates — \$1.50 may be charged if not so paid. The date to which every subscription is paid is denoted by the number on the address label. No paper disther number on the address label. No paper disther had not good for the purpose of carrying out some repairs. continued to all arrears are paid, except at the ula ion of foul gas warned them to retrace their steps, but one of the men. William Freke, was overcome, and fell Advertising For transient advertisements 8 into the running water. The others enaged to reach the shaft in an exmates insertion-minion measure. Professional hausted condition. One of the two men, whose names are Murfit and Foldvertisements without specific directions will be published till forbid and charged accordingly.

Transient notices—"Lost." "For Sale," ett was too weak to ascend, but his companion was able to climb to the etc -50 cents for first insertion, 26 cents for each surface and shout for help.

First to assist were Mr. W. T. Stanlen, landlord of a neignboring public louse, and a young lighterman, named Bassett, who was passing, to his work. anden brought a line, with which lassett descended to the bottom of he shaft. A few feet along the tuntel he found a man in a state of colapse. The mope was quickly tied round ils waist, and he was pulled up to the turface. In the fresh air he quickly revived.

Nothing had been seen of the third nan, Freke. Taking with them the lifeine, S.anden and Bassett pluckily undertook to descend once more to search. They walked along the tunnel as far as he life-line would reach, but were bliged to retire. Meanwhile firemen from the Gommroad station had been alled up. Firemen Coleman and Fox nmediately went down, in the hope OFFICE AND RESIDENCE A tife-line fastened round him while the other was unencumbered. They had not gone far along the sewer before f reaching the man Freke. One had he noxious fumes extinguished the ight they were carrying. Coleman was hen overcome. The current of sewage vas running strong, and the man was n danger of being swept away, but ox retained presence of mind to seize is comrade by the collar, and shout o those above to haul on the line. When they were lifted to the surface Coleman remained senseless, but in he course of an hour he was brought

> Other firemen donned the smoke helnets, and, thus equipped, explored the wer for a distance of 400 or 500 yards, vading knee-deep in the water. Fire ngines were employed to pump in pure air, and strenuous efforts were made to reach the missing man. At ength the whole extent of the sewer vas thoroughly explored, and it was vident that the rush of water had caried the body of Freke, who was unloubtedly dead by this time, far away.

> > The Extremes.

the very rich and of the very poor are to "please" turn out and let him by, identical. It is a matter of specula- but Mr. Heughan made a similar tion whether their appetites are also request and both stood facing each similar, for the very poor woman other, Mr. Weiss in the meantime finds great solace in her cup of tea and exhausting his soft words without drinks quantities of it; so also does the any noticeable signs of Mr. Heughan rich woman. Alcoholic stimulants are weakening. To make a long story also favored by the one who finds life | short both stood on their rights and monotonous from poverty and she who drove through, with disastrous rewants; result with both, an almost un. ing much of his load or any of enjoyed by all. bearable discontent.

Amply Qualified.

Proud Parent-If you would win my daughter, young man, you must prove to my satisfaction that you have fortitude, patience under discouraging cir-HONOR GRADUATE, UNIVERSI- cumstances, strength of character, courage, an indomitable will to succeed and, above all, an ability to bear with misfortune. Have you those qualifications? Suitor - I've known your daughter for some time, sir, and am asking you for her hand. Do you wish other assurances?

> A Primer Lesson. See the woman.

Why is she so cross? Oh, she's having a lot of dresses

See the other woman. Why is she so cross?

Because she isn't having a lot of dresses made. Women are queer creatures, are they

More to the Point. "I want a business suit now," said Slopay. "I was thinking of something in the way of a small plaid."

"And I," replied the tailor, "can't help thinking of something in the way of a small check."

A Prejudiced Impression. "What is your idea of a classic?" "A classic," said Mr. Cumrox, "In something you have to listen to be-

cause somebody else said it was good.'

WATER IN TURKEY.

OHN CLARK, LICENSED AUC- Must Meet Many Conditions to Be Perfect Beverage. "Turks are extremely particular,"

writes a traveler, "in regard to the quality of the water they drink and are willing to be at much trouble and expense to obtain water of the kind they prefer. To be a perfect beverage water must issue from a rock, fall from a height, be of medium temperature, There were great doings at the flow rapidly and copiously, taste sweet, Fink last Friday night. It was "leap spring in high and lonely ground and Fear' night and the ladies all did run from south to north or from east

the great gatherings there on Fridays, arrayed in bridal colors, seated tier above tier on the terraced platforms built against the green slope of the hill, the women above, the men below, all in the deep shade of the branches meeting overhead, forms picture beyond a painter's power to re-

Hot Drinks For Thirst.

It is a mistake to suppose that cold drinks are necessary to relieve thirst. Very cold drinks, as a rule, increase the feverish condition of the mouth and stomach and so create thirst. Experience shows it to be a fact that hot drinks relieve the thirst and cool off the body when it is in an abnormally heated condition better than ice cold drinks. It is far better and safer to avoid the use of drinks below 60 degrees. In fact, a higher temperature is to be preferred, and those who are much troubled with thirst will do well to try the advantages to be derived from hot drinks instead of cold fluids, to which they have been accustomed. Hot drinks also have the advantage of aiding digestion instead of causing debility of the stomach and bowels.

The Harshness of Orators. charged with being unduly harsh to the other side. The following extract from a speech of the late Earl of Shaftesbury, published in his memoirs,

shows that if our stump speakers exhoping for a better issue, will go with He may not recover. him, roaring in grunts of exultation."

ERTON.

coming down Bilkie's hill, Reinhart accommodate bockey and curling Weiss discovered John Heughan on a The matter will come up at a future load of manure coming up. The road meeting of the council. was narrow and on each side were ten-foot snow banks. Reinhardt stopped and commenced to do a little mental arithmetic. He had never been caught in such a fix before, and out. But people who know John

Heughan know that all the soft words in the English vocabulary couldn't turn him from the straight and narrow way, and Mr. Weiss was afterwards to learn this, much to his sorrow and dismay. The two men approached each other on their separate loads and Reinhardt started in Somebody has said that the vices of | with the oil. He asked Mr. Heughan his nerve.-Times.

Harriston Review is Next.

last week as well as on the previous hours to drive the sixteen miles. week, he had seen robins in his barnapparently had made themselves home in spite of our cold stormy weather, or rather, perhaps, because of it, being impelled to seek food where they could find it. Those who observe the birds say that a certain number of migratory birds stay with us all winter, so that seeing robins is no certain sign of an early spring, nevertheless .- Mt. Forest Confed.

Don't Care for Cards.

"I hear," said Mrs. Oldcastle, "that Miss Wadsworth has taken up the study of Gaelic "

"Has she," replied her hostess, as she kicked back a corner of the \$3,000 rug "Josiah wanted me to take it up but I never was no hand for cards."-Chicago Record Herald.

DOCTORS FEAR TONSILITIS OUT-BREAK.

Hundreds of cases are reported. If your throat is irritable and sore, gargle it three times daily with Ner- to attend the funeral of his sister, viline and water. Then rub the Mrs. P. Dickson. throat and chest vigorously with Nerviline and put on a Nerviline spent Sunday with his family here. Porous Plaster. Follow these instructions closely and you will avoid Tonsilitis, Bronchitis and Throat Trouble of every kind. Hundreds are preventing and curing their colds by this method and report it eminent- Lachlan, of this place, has commenced ly satisfactory. Both Nerviline preparation for building a new hotel Plasters and Polson's Nerviline can on the site of the one destroyed by be had from any dealer, 25c, each,

youthful and his step elastic, is reg. recovery. istered at the Dufferin House with Mr. Henry Stone, near this place. his 17-year-old bride. John was a is laid up with a badly cut foot, by a bachelor who had for more than three blow from an axe while at work in the grand and asked the gentlemen to west. The excellence of any water score years resisted the blandish the woods. if they might have the pleasure." is accordingly determined by the number of the fair sex, but was forced he gonerous is accordingly determined by the number of the fair sex, but was forced he gonerous is accordingly determined by the number of the fair sex, but was forced he gonerous he gonerous is accordingly determined by the number of the fair sex, but was forced has had the mis-The gentlemen showed they were ber of these conditions it fulfills. It is to capitulate at last, a fact which fortune to lose a fine team of horses perfect ladies and never declined a remarkable how much pleasure Turks should be taken cognizance of by within a few days. One died with Skate because they were "too tired." find in visiting a famous spring in the some of our Orangeville bachelors heart failure and the other from With a little more practice they may country, to spend the whole day beside | who may have imagined themselves | cause unknown. be able to say it as if they meant it it under the shade of trees, doing little safe from woman's wiles. And still but we hope they will never learn else than drink carafe after carafe of one more lesson they may take to that little art of squelching. The the water as the elixir of life. Resorts heart, that it's never too late to ladies, as usual, were proficient in of this description abound on the shores mend. To post only wishes that their part and if they can pop the and in the valleys of the upper Bosquestion as gracefully as they ask porus under such names as the Water O'Neill may be as serene as Melville Ricery one for a skate there is no great rea- of Life, the Silver Water, the Water pond on a summer day and that hap-Son why there should be a bachelor Under the Chestnut Tree, the Water piness unalloyed may ever be their couldn't buy the echo of the whietle "

A CLOSE CALL

A Markdale wood dealer was at Berkeley one day recently when the north bound train became snow-bound at Chatsworth. He wanted to get home, and as there was little prospect of a train that evening he started on foot by the track. All went well until he entered a long snow cut on a curve some three miles from Berkeley. Soon he heard the whistle of a coming train. It was impossible to climb the steep wall, so he ran for dear life. The train was within half a car length of him when he reached an opening and thus narrowly escaped. 'Twas certainly a close call .- Markdale Standard.

Pressisms.

Carefully Culled Country Correspondence

From the London Free Press. TARA.

Tara, March 7 .- Mr. Wm Hamil

ton, a farmer living near Park Head, happened with a serious accident two miles north of Tara Friday afternoon. He left Park Head on the 1 45 express train, intending to go to an American political orators are often auction sale a few miles north of this place. On coming to the nearest crossing where the sale was being held he jumped off the moving train, which was running at a high rate of speed. The unfortunate man was hibit harshness they come honestly by hurled in the air and lighted on his it. The noble earl thus described and shoulder. His shoulder was disloprophesied: "When Gladstone runs cated, besides receiving other wounds. down a steep place, his immense ma- He was driven to Tara, where Dr. jority, like the pigs in Scripture, but Armstrong attended his injuries.

A plan is under way to erect a fine new skating rink in Tara for next RROTHERLY LOVE IN WALK- winter. If the council will purchase the site a citizen has vouched his willingness to build the rink. The While seated on a big load of hay dimensions will be large enough to

PRICEVILLE.

Priceville, March 5 - Priceville Lodge, A.O.U.W., has elected the he was figuring how many oily words following staff of officers for the curit would take to get Heughan to turn rent year: Master workman, H. Mc Eachern; foreman, J. A. McDonald; overseer. H. R. McLean; recorder, W. W. Watson; financier, T. A. Ferguson; treasurer, Jos. Ausem; guida, A.D. McLeod; I.W., A.D. McKinnon; O.W., John Weir; representative to grand lodge, Robert Vanse.

> The senior department of the public school here gave a splendid concert an Friday last. Principal Morrison, under whom the school is prospering,

MT. FOREST.

Mount Forest, March 6 .- The Mt. Forest orchestra held an assembly in the opera house Monday evening. finds it equally monotonous from sults to Mr. Weiss, both he and the Dancing began at 9 and lasted until wealth. One can have nothing she hay upsetting, while Mr. Heughan 2 a.m. The excellent music furnishwants; the other has everything she emerged from the scene without los. ed by the orchestra was thoroughly

The Presbytery of Saugeen was to have met here Tuesday, but owing to the blockade an adjournment was made until Tuesday, March 12. The Mr. I. N. Williamson, Sligo Road, Rev. Mr. Farquharson, of Durham, informs us that on Wednesday of arrived late, it having taken him five

The Provincial Grand Orange yard, singing like good fellows. They Lodge of Ontario West has been called by the Grand Master, E.T. Essery, K. C., of London, to meet at Mount Forest on Wednesday, March 11. All arrangements have been made for this meeting, and some 300 delegates are expected.

The first train over the C. P. R. on this branch since last Saturday came in last night. The G.T.R. expect to open up their line through here today. The storm of last Sunday com pletely tied up all the northern branches on both roads.

Rev. Wm. Cooper, B. A., of Port Perry, formerly of Listowel, will preach in Westminster church next Sunday. The Rev. Dr. Ross, of Toronto, preached last Sunday, and his powerful and well-delivered sermons were well received by the congrega-

Senator McMullen spent this week at his home here, the Senate having adjourned for a week.

Mr. A. Martin, MP, was in town Monday, having come up from Ottawa

Mr. G. R. Theobald, of London,

CEYLON.

Ceylon, March 5 .- Capt. D. D. Mc-

Mr. Andrew Rutledge, who has Mr. John O'Neill, of Arthur, whose been for many years in the employ of hair is frosted with the snows of 67 the C,P R, here, is at present so ill winters, but whose heart is still that little hope is held out for his

Pretty Tough.

Weary-"Times is certainly gettin'

Bleary-"You bet, if steamboats couldn't buy the echo of the whistle."

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