

THE CONTEST ENDED.

When the City Council or other governing body decides to make an improvement, say grading or paving a street, it passes a resolution declaring its intention to make the change. An estimate is also made of the cost of the work to be done. The property owners on the street are notified and a certain time is given them to protest, if they think a protest necessary. "If protests are made against the proposed improvement by the owners of more than two-thirds of the front feet of the lots and lands abutting on such proposed improvement, be filed on or before the date fixed for such filing, the Council shall not proceed with the work." But, if the protests are less than this, the Council goes on with the work of improvement, and assesses the property at so much

then, again, in its allusions to Mr. Blake's letter, our contemporary is equally fortunate. Every one knows that Mr. Blake is not a Conservative, and no one expects that he has become a convert to the trade policy of the Conservative Party. It was altogether needless, therefore, for our contemporary to cite those parts of Mr. Blake's letter which showed that he was still a Liberal in principle. But every one did not know that Mr. Blake was conscientiously opposed to

tial covering, and when the sewerage stations had cut them up considerably, heavy rains have been able to do a deal of harm that it will take several years to repair. Great ruts in places that till now, been looked upon as perfectly solid, and caves-in everywhere, attest the severity of the weather. No fault however can be laid at the door of either the streets authorities or the sewerage commissioners, as the continuous down-pour was wholly unexpected, and could not, in any way have been guarded against. Fortunately Victoria is seldom affected with such a season of weather.

"and learn a great deal, I have no doubt."

Daymer betrayed even now none of the dismay which he felt, but ran long, slender fingers lazily through his wavy, black hair, and said: "Well, I will be situated so that you can receive very readable letters, and if you do me the kindness to spend your moments in transmitting your impressions, stray pieces of information, so forth, to paper, and forwarding same to me, I shall be greatly indebted to you. Will you?"

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...ure to take home with her to show
...girls."—Boston Traveler

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