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MAKING A SPLASH - - Over 200 young  
Etonians struggle valiantly for the honour  
of winning the strenuous annual steeplechase.

-Buckinghamshire-

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Picture:- Ready ! Go ! And the noble two hundred  
dash off, hotly followed by a dog, please note !

The Eton College junior steeplechase is a strenuous  
affair of getting into water, running oneself--

--dry, and then getting wet all over again. It's a chilly  
past-time for the merry month--

--of February. A clear stretch for a change !

Sorry ! I spoke too soon - - another brook - -  
This is their bath day ! These --

--muddy - - I said muddy ! - - immersions will play  
havoc with the creases--

--in their pants. Good ! Cleared at a single--

--leap. An unusual feat ! Here's the finish - - and  
more water ! The second man in is the first man out, and  
he's the winning man, too ! The race may be won,--

--but for the spectators it's certainly--

--not finished. The 'also-rans' cause roars of mirth and  
merriment(see the small bills), By their damp but  
determined efforts to finish the course. As it is, the  
course nearly--

--finished them, and would if they--

--were not in excellent form. R.G.O.Cavendish is the  
winner. A creditable victory too !