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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27TH, 1904. though a private one, has recently been made on the Monitor to "expose dition" of the streets of Bridgetown. Such a course appeals to somewhat like attempting to paint the lily. The condition of the streets is tainly no secret, and if there is anypast month and has failed to be imsed with that condition there must be something wrong with his perceptive faculties that places him quite beyoud the sphere of our influence. The question of street improvement, however, should be a burning one with everyone interested in the welfare of wood, who will take possession May this town. That an improvement 1st. worthy the name can be effected by of the question. That is simply a inspect J. H. Hicks & Sons. li matter of piling up a lot of soft soil matter of piling up a lot of soft soil and sand to create clouds of dust in and sand to create clouds of dust in effecting extensive repairs on their nmer and mud and mire in spring and fall. Considering the nature of the subsoil which forms the foundation for our streets, such work day is for the construction of perma- 3rd of May. nent roads. It is the ambition of \_\_E. D. Elliott, lately of St. Stephmany prominent public-spirited men to ens, N. B., has rented the store adjoining the office of J. G. H. Farker, vince rebuilt on this principle. What and is having it fitted up for a candy is as yet an ambition with regard to our country roads should become in the near future an accomplished fact the near future and will offer in his own the suddenly expired. Mrs. Wade was not accomplished fact the near future and complished street has in the past month furnished on a small scale an example of the road construction. The crossings, be it gemembered, were the lowest places in the streets and consequently pools of water. Public or private enterprise on the part of some individual caused him to cover this particular crossing with about a foot deep of "clinkers" or coal ashes. As a consequence it ecame at once a dry and pleasant

sidewalks, was mud and water. Now, we do not mean to advocate that all the streets be given a coating of coal ashes. We believe a cheaper ourpose. We have referred to this paricular crossing because its improvement must have attracted the attention of the least observing and beuse it contains in itself the elements that must be applied to the construcion or repair of our streets before ch repairs can become lasting. The elements are a solid foundation with a porous covering to take the wear and absorb the water. What will be used as materials to form such foundation r such covering is a question for those to decide on whom the carrying out of this improvement may devolve. Information on these subjects is now easily available for those who seek it, and such information must be used in onnection with a knowledge of the sources of supply within reach of the That these improvements will ome in time there is not a shadow of of doubt, just how soon they will come is a matter for the citizens themselves to decide. It is an easy matter for them to grumble about the condition of the streets, perhaps to criticise the manner in which the money at present as largely attended as was expected, of the streets, perhaps to criticise the devoted the streets is spent, but it owing to the bad condition of the nevertheless lies with them to demand roads, but in every other respect the a radical change in the line of street affair was a success. A number of in

the present time is: "is it better for nent during the wet season, or to be gin at some particular point and each year to build a section of a permanent nature until the principal streets have been covered?" Even this will entail an additional expenditure, for it cannot be overlooked that a certain nount of wear and tear or unexpected damage, such as that caused by the flood of this spring, must be attended repairs exhaust about all the amount however, should not prevent the required improvement. It is an estab something to attain it. Once attained, blings at the state of the streets in ly possible. A progressive town counproviding Bridgetown with main thoroughfares that will be a credit to her noticeable either in the program or

Classes of Y. M. C. A. of the Y. M. C. A. gave a closing extained by W. D. Lockett. The game well done and greatly appreciated.

Four of the members of the business Jackson and Marguerita, and the capmen's class gave a very pretty exhibition of Indian club swinging. The young men's class also gave an exhibition on the horizontal bar and able situations. The farce "Who's some creditable feats were performed Who" is a standard play given for Instructor Archibald also performed many years by professionals, and as it plays itself, never fails to put the thistion of muscular strength.

The closing feature of the evening's entertainment was the Basket Ball game between the Clerks and Tartars, which closes the games of the Annapo-

#### Local and Special News

-May 2nd. Remember the date. -Schr. Packet arrived at her dock om St. John, Monday.

-Black Anthony Oats, pure highored grain especially grown for seed, Apply to E. C. Young, Bridgetown. -For Sale: Two new Top Buggies, 1 rubber-tired Buggy and 1 Truck Waggon. J. H. Hicks & Sons. -By special request Mr. Weare has arrangements' for Mr. Pineo,

-For laughing purposes only—the entertainment on Monday night. -The brick dwelling on Queen street belonging to the estate of the late Robert FitzRandolph has been purchased by Mr. Abram Young.

Optician, to be at his store on May

-Prepare for your heartiest laughs course you will, on Monday night. -The Dennison homestead property

-We have the very latest in Lace methods employed in the past is out Curtains, Mattings and Rugs. Call and to another branch. wharf property, the work being well under way.

-HOW ARE YOUR EYES? Mr. must ever prove fruitless of permanent good. The cry in our province to Sancton's Jewelry store on the 2nd and

on a small scale an example of his company has already received an and contractor, and had reached the order for six hundred thousand brick advanced age of 77 years. He was a from parties in Sydney; also an son of the late James Wade who died

of School Commissioners for the Districts of Annapolis West and Annapofootway, where all around, even the lows, viz.: At the Court House in Anin Lawrencetown on Tuesday, May article can be found to serve the same | 10th, at 11 o:clock a. m. All persons | during the past few years. The body having business before these Boards | was interred in St. Paul's (Episcoto govern themselves accordingly.

-Mr. McLeod, principal of Bridge town school during the past year having resigned, Mr. Harry Bustin, late of Canning and a native of Belleisle, has accepted the appointment at a salary of \$600. Miss Parker of the Preparatory department, has also placed her resignation in the hands of the committee, and a number of appliincluding a proposition from Miss Parker for re-engagement at an in crease of salary. Miss Parker has proved herself an efficient and capable tructor, and should the com find themselves able to apportion the necessary sum upon which her remaining here is dependent, we have no hesitation in stating their action will meet the approval of most of our cit

-The Sock Social given at Y. M. C. repair and to back it up with a vote teresting tableaux, a violan solo by for the necessary funds to carry it out. Mrs. Warren, recitation by Mr. Free The question they need to debate at | man Leslie, piano solo by Mrs. Arm strong, duet by Miss Dodge and Mi the town to spread a small expenditure over all the streets to be ground to dust and mixed with the clay subsoil H. Dixon, and an excellent exhibition without making any apparent improve- of torch swinging by Mr. Archibald, made up an entertaining program. Miss Gladys Reed also sang sweetly a selection as accompaniment for a tableau. Mrs. Warren efficiently performed the duties of accompanist. Ice cream and cake and home-made candy were sold during intermission, and the entire proceeds of the evening netted

-The entertainment for the benefit to, and in many cases such necessary of the Baptist Church Organ Fund. preparations for which have been going set apart for this service. This fact, forward for the past couple of weeks under the direction of Mrs. W. A. Warren, took place at the vestry of lished fact that we cannot get some- the Baptist Church last evening, and thing for nothing. Street improve was well attended. A well chosen proment is badly needed, but it will cost gramme of eight numbers was rendered and gave a delightful evening's enter however, the present outlay will suffice | tainment. Among the selections were to cover incidental repairs with some a vocal duett by Miss Gladys Reed thing left to extend the improvement.

That these reforms can be effected by Miss Winnie Morse, vocal solo by Miss harping criticisms or periodical grum-Reed, a reading by Miss Chute, vocal blings at the state of the streets in cheet by Misses Cohoon and Withers, the spring and early winter is scarce- a scene from the second act of the "Merchant of Venice." acted by Misses cil, backed not only by the desire on Morse and Chute, a second solo by the part of the citizens to see and en- Miss Reed, and a reading by Mrs. Warjoy this luxury, but a willingness also ren. The work of the performers as a to vote the means wherewith it may whole was up to such a high standard of excellence that individual mention

in the eyes of strangers and a con- its performance being that it seemed Closing Gynasium Exhibition of Senior meat plays ever put upon the stage by eurs, is to be given at the Court House next Monday evening. It pre-On Monday evening the senior classes | sents in a ludicrous manner the vexahibition of gymnastics and games be-fore a small audience. A very inter-esting game of Volley Ball was played

eon Brown and his wife Lucy, in which figure a provoking housemaid, an in-attentive man-of-all-work, the impor-W. Elliott, and the business men capers and jewellers, and the terrors of a burglar scare. The distraction of was won by the Bankers by a score | Phyllis who loses Mrs. Brown's pet of 22-29. The dumb-bell drill given by | dog, and the ineffectual attempts of eighteen of the young men's class, was Dayton to console Phyllis and restore

ture of several innocent individual

mistaken for hurglars keep up a con-

able situations. The farce "Who's

audience in the best of humor. The

Tenders addressed to the Secretary of the Lawrencetown Butter and Cheese Mg. Co., Ltd., will be received by the directors until noon on Saturday next for hauling the milk on the Williamston and North Williamston routes. Routes to commence the 9th of May.

Parties tendering will say what they will haul the milk to the creamery for by the 100 lbs. and return the skim milk or whey to the patrons free.

addience in the best of humor. The droll eccentricities of Brambleton, the consequential and supercilious airs of Lavender, the perplexities and distractions of Swanhopper, the distress of the sympathetic Cicely, and the pert assurance of Matilda Jane, are unfailingly diverting and laughable in the extreme. free.

The directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. By order of Directors. BYRON MORSE, Secty.

#### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. John Lowe made a trip to her old home at Clementsport last week. Dr. Armstrong is on a trip to Hali-

visiting his friends and relatives here, having arrived last week. Mr. J. Herbert Hicks returned last

had been for a few weeks delivering goods manufactured by his firm. Mrs. Florence Harnish returned Sat urday from spending the winter with her parents in New Jersey, and will

again assume charge of the telephone

week from New Brunswick, where he

Mr. Abner Morse, son of Mr. Willard Morse of Paradise West, left today for Boston, his departure being hurried by

Mr. G. B. McCallum has been pro moted to the position of teller in the Bank of Nova Scotia. Mr. L. D. Pay zant, who has formerly held this posi tion, is awaiting an order of transfer

Miss Jessie Beckwith, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. James at Hamilton, Bermuda, during the winter, was a passenger to Halifax by the steamer Ocama last week, returning to Bridgetown on Saturday,

Died in His Chair.

The town of Digby was shocked or the night of the 15th inst. to hear of the sudden death of James H. Wade, which occurred there at 5.30 p. m. on -Manager Ervin, of the International Brick & Tile Co., Ltd., informs us that visiting relatives at Brighton at the order for a considerable shipment to aged 94 years, and a nephew of the Halifax. The brick to supply the greater part of these orders is now on died at the age of 104. He was the last of six brothers, but is survived by -The annual meetings of the Board two sisters, Mrs. Robt. Bath of Somer ville, Mass., and Mrs. Albert Bath of Bridgetown, N. S. He had no family lis East will be held this year as fol- but is survived by a widow. Mr. Wade was a Conservative in politics, was napolis on Monday, May 9th, at 11 very much interested in the summer o'clock a. m., and at the Elm House tourist business in Digby, and had accommodated many guests at his home are requested to take notice hereof and pal) Cemetery, Marshalltown, the ser vices being conducted by Rev. Mr. Bul' lock of Halilax.

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Tenders will be received up to Saturday, April 30th, by the undersigned, on behalf of the committee, for the work of excavating beneath the church in Clarence for the placing of a furnace. Also for the work of con-structing a drain in connection with the said cellar. Specifications may be had on application. The com-mittee do not bind themselves to ac-cept the lowest or any tender. cept the lowest or any tender. Clarence, N. S., April 27, 1904.

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Bridgetown, April 26th, 1904, 4i

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stallment plan and stocks .... ... Mr. L. D. Payzant. Lucy Brown, his wife, with a weakness Phyllis Lee, Mrs. Brown's cousin, who lost Apollo. .... Miss Carolyn Piper.

Jackson Jackson, a servent to Simeon and a slave to Margaret. .... Mr. G. B. McCallum. Margaret Sullivan, alias Marguerita, who wishes to change her name. ... Mrs. Underwood. Samuel Holton, of Holton & Holton, furniture dealers -... ... .... Mr. Herman Young. 

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