

New Ipswich Historical Society Annual Meeting

**7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 16, 2020
Barrett House (79 Main Street, New Ipswich)**

Meeting Agenda

- Review of August minutes
 - Treasurer's Report
 - President's Report
 - Nomination of Officers
 - Other business
 - Election of Officers
 - Musical Program: Lizards in the Hayloft*
- *Lizards in the Hayloft, which varies in composition from time to time, plays a variety of old-time music, including some Finnish tunes.*

Lizards in the Hayloft



- Christine Anderson—fiddle
- Cedwyn Morgan—banjo, mandolin & vocals
- John Poltrack—guitar & vocals
- John Rosenfelder—bass

Current Society Project: Excerpts from James Roger's Diary

16th April 1912: Thunder and rain during night; fair till 3 p.m. and thunderstorm with a little rain. David (Roger's son) went to Greenville for paints, etc. Hudson buried this afternoon. I helped young Chandler to empty the water out the grave and put in box. Papers full today of the account of the terrible disaster to the **Titanic** which struck an iceberg off Newfoundland and sank four hours after with 1500 on board. Only saved 625 women & children.

17th April 1912: Fine day but cloudy and variable winds. Eclipse of sun this morning from 5:20 to 6:40...No definite news of the wreck of **Titanic** until the Carpathia comes into New York tomorrow. Home Rule Bill passed first reading in House of Commons yesterday by nearly 100 majority. Got letter from Alice today. Saw 2 red-headed birds today.

The public is cordially invited to Annual Meeting & Program.