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SERVICE NEW YEAR'S MORNING - There will be service in St. James' Church this New Year's morning at 11 o'clock.

TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE. - Do not forget the meeting of the Temperance Alliance on Wednesday morning next at 11.15 o'clock in the Board of Trade Rooms. The meeting is important.

WE SOLD A LOT OF bracelets watches this season and had to telegraph for more. If any reduction in prices on any of the goods we keep in stock our customers can depend on receiving the benefit. E. W. Taylor, South Side Queen Square, 12 08

SCOTT-On Dec 29th at the home of her brother, Jacob Scott, 29 Alley St, Margaret C. Scott, oldest daughter of the late George Scott, Cornwall, aged 91 years. Funeral on Wednesday Jan 3 at 11 a.m. Service at the house at 10.30 o'clock.

LONG DISTANCE WIRELESS-The Navy League Wireless Station in Charlottetown received a letter the other day from a wireless station in Detroit stating that the latter had distinctly heard a song broadcasted from the former. This is a record in wireless telephoning and a distinct credit to the young operator in the Navy League Station, Mr. Walter Hyndman who not only operates but installed the apparatus.

PERSONALS

Miss E. McInnis of Watertown, Mass., is registered at the Revere.

Mr. Robt. Kerr, Toronto, is a guest at the Victoria Hotel.

Mr. Verne A. Miller, Moncton, arrived in the city Saturday.

Mr. Ray O. Zahn, Pakesby, Ont was a visitor to the city Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Mutch and son, of Cherry Valley, returned Saturday from a visit to Govan, Sask.

Mr. L. Jacques, Guelph, Ont., left this morning after a business visit to the province.

Miss Edna Gordon and Miss Marjory Gordon, Rosemeath, were guests yesterday at the Queen Hotel.

Mrs. W. H. Scott, city, returned Saturday night from spending the Christmas holidays with her son Mr. William Scott of Ottawa.

Mr. Joseph H. Notting of the firm of Notting Bros, Dartmouth, N.S., is visiting in the city the guest of his brother Dr. Notting, and Mrs. Notting at the Rass.

Mr. Wendell Toombs of Winnipeg, arrived in the city Saturday night on a visit to his father and mother Dr. and Mrs. Toombs, Mount Stewart.

Mr. William Hughes, of Grand Tracadie, who has been storm stayed in the city for the past few days, returned home this morning.

Messrs E. W. Lawson, St. John and J. J. Waller, Waterville, travelling men, were passengers on the Borden train Saturday.

Many friends of Mr. Benj. C. Bryenton, formerly of this city, now of Milo, Lot 9, were pleased to see him about town last week. He is returning to Milo again after a pleasant visit with his daughter Mrs. Weston Whitlock, Park St.

Capt. F. D. Campbell of the S. S. Henry of the Pictou-Souris-Magdalen Islands route, arrived in the city Saturday and leaves for his home in Georgetown this morning. The Captain was a guest yesterday at the Revere. His boat is laid up for the winter at Lunenburg.

A Family Party

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logs, my young heart was in my mouth lest the plough should be caught and the cattle drowned. But they came out all right; and while I thanked my stars, I vented my wrath upon them, drove them around by the bridge, and put them again to their work. In those days we went to clearing land as soon as the frost was out of the ground. Stumping was great work for men, boys and oxen. It was fun for us boys to see the oxen twitching and pulling while my father dug around the roots with a grubbing hoe-and finally hauling a hemlock stump two or three feet through, out to the heap of roots and limbs that we were piling up nearby. That was the way stumpy stumps, the forest was cleared off this Island and the land prepared for the plough and harrow. A great many farmers in those early days had no horses-only oxen and a cow or two. I remember an old man, living not far from Rustico, who had a big belfer trained to work in the fields and drive on the roads. He used to tackle her up in a light sleigh or cart, and drive her up into town, about fifteen miles distant, and back again, when his family wanted flour or some other necessary of life.

"Early in the spring we hoed some potato sets in among the stumps in the new land lately burned over. They were of the governor white variety, if we could get them; for they were usually fit to hoe out early in August, and they were without exception the driest and meatiest potato that I have ever eaten. Where the land was stumped, we used to try to get in a patch of early barley, so that we might have barley cakes in August. We sometimes sowed wheat; and I have seen my mother and father reaping it with sickles while some of the youngsters, boys or girls, bound up the sheaves. "Well, certainly we had great times in those days that are awa. I have



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ENTIRE TOWN IS DESTROYED BY HURRICANE

With The Exception of "The Old Homestead" Ganzey, N. H., is Levelled

(Special News Despatch) GANZEY, N. H.-A terrific windstorm which swept through the valley almost demolished the town yesterday and practically the only building not destroyed was the Old Homestead, on the farm belonging to Joshua Whitcomb. Seemingly, it was proof against the fury of the elements, and while its neighbors suffered great damage, it remained almost unharmed. This was particularly noticeable and was commented upon by all because it was simultaneous with the return of Reuben Whitcomb who had been arrested for the theft of \$2,500 from the safe of Ephraim Holbrook's store, a year or more ago, and having escaped jail in company of a tramp named Happy Jack, had been lost to his family and the authorities ever since. With him came Rose Blaine, formerly of this place, whom he discovered in destitute circumstances in the city. It has just developed that Reuben was guiltless of the crime for which he was arrested and the money which his father had been able to return to Holbrook, the latter will marry Ann, an adopted daughter of Joshua's and who was saved from death at Lover's Leap in the height of the great storm by her suitor. Happiness has come to the old homestead and even Ganzey will soon be restored. But the more seriously inclined attach a spiritual significance to the fact that the home of the Whitcombs refused to surrender to the elements-seemingly standing as a symbol of the greatest institution of civilization-the Home. "The Old Homestead", which contains the foregoing happenings in detail will be shown at the Prince Edward Theatre this Wednesday and Thursday. It is a Paramount picture directed by James Cruze; Theodore Roberts, George Fawcett, T. Roy Barnes, Harrison Ford and Fritz Ridgway head an excellent cast.

often gone to the shore, about two miles distant from our old home, with a half-bushel basket in my arm and a hook in my hand, waded out into the bay when the tide was low and fished the basket full of lobsters in a short time. On the same shore, too, fishermen, when they came in with their catches, would sometimes give me a basketful, and I would take out my packfire and eat the whole of them at a sitting. We had hard work, too, yet there were, as you see, some compensations and some recreation afforded by the boys and girls in this age of advancement. I think that my health and strength and activity in my seventy-fifth year, is largely due-under Providence to the excitement muscular and mental that I was compelled to take when I was young and the country was new. Anyway I now wish you all and all the young and old people of our island Province, a Happy a Prosperous New Year; and I want you all to fill your glasses with cold water, fresh from our tap, and under the electric lights, in the warmth of the pipeless furnace, with the telephone in the hall, and the radio in the town, and all the conveniences, comforts and luxuries by which we are now surrounded, to think to them that away and to the years of struggle that are past. (Great Applause.) Needless to say the toast was enthusiastically honored.

MOTORIST'S LUCK

"Well, Blithers, what luck did you have with your new car?" asked Jarroway. "More than I ever expected," said Blithers. "Just three minutes after the darn thing blew up another car came along with a busted tire, and the owner bought my old tires for \$10 apiece." -Harper's Weekly.

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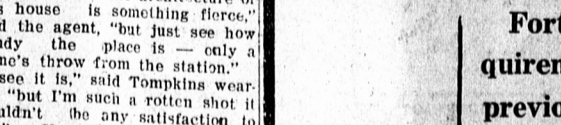
"I admit that the architecture of this house is something fierce," said the agent, "but just see how handy the place is - atly a stone's throw from the station." "I see it is," said Tompkins wearily, "but I'm such a rotten shot it wouldn't be any satisfaction to me." - Harper's Weekly.

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