A destructive earthquake and volcanic eruption in the Province of Auckland, New Zealand, transformed and desolated a vast area of picturesque country and overwhelmed the famed pink and white terraced cascades of boiling mineral water, which was one of the natural wonders of the world.

[illegible] but confidence was shaken in the efficiency of water tight compartments. The saving of the mails was a feat of scientific skill and is one of the many unrecognised proofs that man is a supernatural animal after all.

One of the features of the year was the dangerous extent to which the Knights of Labor pushed their organization against the freedom of capital among our American neighbors. Doubtless it is one of the reacting agencies that grew out of the evils of monopoly and a rude remainder of the responsibilities attached to the concentration of wealth. If wealth has not the invidious distinction of title and rank in the States, it has and exerts all its power with perhaps little of aristocratic sense of honor.

The obituary of the year is not a long one of those whose departure leave slowly-filled vacancies. Richard Chenevix Trench, who resigned through ill health the archiepiscopate of Dublin last year, will be remembered as a poet as well as theologian. The same church lost Marcus Gervais Beresford, a historic member of a historic family. As Archbishop of Armagh and primate of Ireland upon him devolved the burden of reorganizing the Irish Church after disestablishment. He accomplished the task with great ability and tact and developed rare gifts of statesmanship, for which, perhaps, he will be most recalled. Dr. Birch, the eminent English orientalist and Samuel Morley, the distinguished liberal politician and philanthropist have passed away. Bishop Hannington in Central Africa entered the ranks of christian martyrs at the hands of those he went to enlighten. Earl Enniskillan, an Irish resident landlord of whom nothing but good was ever spoken; Ranke the octagenarian German historian may be said to have died at his desk. His work would never have been done. Lizst the Prince of pianists is also dead. The turf thrusts a jockey into such marked popularity that his unequalled successes and untimely tragic death give Fred Archer a place in the Pantheon of the year. General Logan's death removes a prominent man from the Republican party of the United States. Though defeated in the last election for Vice-President he was very popular. His abilities were natural rather than acquired, in which force of character overcame many defects. It is said that he owed whatever polish and success he acquired to the ambition and fond 'coaching' of his wife, who is a superior cultivated woman. The following promiscuous group of celebrities also died during the year. Samuel Tilden, once democratic candidate for the presidency; Charles F Adams, who represented the United States in London during the war; Richard M Hoe, the maker of the "Hoe" printing press; John B. Gough, the famous temperance orator; Professor Hodge, whose work on systematic theology is standard; Dr. John Tulloch, distinguishird Scottish divine; Stowell Brown, prominent Baptist preacher; Cardinal Guibert, Archbishop of Paris; Hobart Pasha, the Anglo-Turkish Admiral; Viscount Cardwell, a leading English statesman; David Stephenson, the son of Robert, who was the son of the great George Stephenson, all engineers. Every Railway in the world is a monument to the founder of this family. John McDougall, of the Montreal *Witness*; and spiritualism lost its great medium, D. D. Home, in a mad-house.

In the death of Mr. Thomas Vondy the Local community lost a respected member and the Post office a trustful officer. The honourable class of civil servants to which he belonged is fast being "politicized" out of existence. Duty was a religion in him; to which he was faithful unto death. The recent death in England suggests similar fidelity in an humbler sphere and service. His weather-beaten inquisitive face was familiar from Esquimac to Boistown and they [illegible] he paid a large debt [illegible]

[We had a [illegible] not to enable us to close this subject this week. It will be continued in next issue.]

A GREAT VICTORY.

The Liberal Government of Ontario under Premier Mowat, was sustained by the elections of Tuesday, with a largely-increased majority. The majority was 19 in the last House. It is now 30. The result is the death-blow of Sir John A Macdonald's party,

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc..

THE EMPLOYEES of the ADVANCE office presented the proprietor, Mr. Smith, with a handsome Christmas present as a token of their good will.

THE CURLERS were disappointed of their intended play on Christmas Day by the prevailing thaw. On New Years Day there is to be a match in Chatham Rink, married *vs* single.

A TORY RALLY is promised in Chatham and Newcastle on Wednesday next. The party here promise that Hon. Messrs. Carling, Bowell, Caron, Ferrier, Costigan and Sir John A. Macdonald [illegible] will be here "of course." The Chatham meeting is to be held in the afternoon and the Newcastle one in the evening.

FIRE.—The dwelling of James Desmond's dwelling on Water Street Chatham, next to Golden Ball Corner, was very badly damaged by fire on Sunday morning last between one and two o'clock. The roof and upper storey were destroyed. Fortunately, by the exertions of the firemen, the flames were prevented from spreading to the Golden Ball building on the south and Miss Staples' confectionary store on the north. Mr. Desmond is quite a heavy loser, although he succeeded in removing a good deal of his effects, as did Miss Winn, who occupied the north end of the building. The insurance $300 merely covered a mortgage interest.

AGENTS WANTED.—Clement & Co., of 48 Wellington Street East, Toronto, or 81 St. Francois Xavier Street, Montreal, want a General Agent. They are the exclusive owners of the Schofield Patent Cake Griddle, the celebrated Emery Knife Sharpener [illegible] Friend,") the [illegible] the Jay-Eye-See Wire Curry Comb, [illegible] have imagined that this appointment clothed him with extraordinary powers, in the exercise of which he acted as if the aim of his life was to impress his neighbors with a sense of his greatness. The government had served Mr. Knight as it did others along the line of that railway, by taking his land and helping themselves to the water-privilege thereon without paying therefor. Mr. Knight could stop the engineers and minor people from taking liberties with his property, but he determined to draw the line at the janitor of the tank, so when that functionary drove his horse and sled upon Mr. Knight's property the latter requested him to desist from doing so. With a flourish of words, in which strength rather than godliness was manifest, the trespasser proclaimed his official title as he understood it and defied the freeholder, declaring that he had tankmaster McLellen's authority to go whithersoever he liked. The circus thus performed impressed Mr. Knight to such an extent that he represented it, in all its funny features, at headquarters, when it was determined that the tankmaster-general was altogether "too fly" and must be got rid of. He didn't receive the same kind of ticket that the K. K. (Koming Kandidate) issued to his favorite snow-shovellers, but he got his "walking ticket." He didn't know it until after he made the speech at the meeting referred to, or it might have cooled his ardor. He thinks it pretty hard, especially as the fishing isn't good on week days, and since the episode at justice Hartt's court he is a little careful not to fish on Sundays.

Christmas at the Alms House.

A [illegible] gives us an account of [illegible] at the Alms House. He says: "The inmates of the Alms House were waiting on Christmas Day when the [illegible] calling them to dinner. On entering the dining-room they were amazed to see spread before them turkey, goose, roast beef, together with all the other good things required to make a first class dinner, while on the side board there were nuts, raisins and apples, as dessert. We may well say that many who were contributing to keeping the poor so comfortable had not so good a Christmas dinner for themselves.

"I am requested to inform the public that there will be a New Year's dinner, when all will be welcomed to see the good things provided for the inmates. Dinner will be served at noon. I would suggest to the Commissioners that they procure a few nut-crackers, for the poor old people must have lost their masticators and it is no easy matter to crack nuts with their gums. I hope the Commissioners will take the hint and have a good supply on hand on New Year's Day.

Christmas Services in St. Mary's and St. Paul's Churches.

The great Festival of the Birth of the Holy Redeemer was appropriately celebrated with the following services in the above churches. On Christmas Eve at 7.30 p. m., Evening Prayer was said in St. Pauls, and an address, the 4th of the advent course—was given by the Rector. Christmas Hymns &c. were admirably sung by the Choir. In St. Mary's Chapel a midnight service was held, at which Evening Prayer was said at 11 15 p. m. At 12 o'clock the 1st celebration of the Holy Communion began, being preceded by the Hymn "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing." The other music, which was excellently rendered by the Choir, was as follows:—

Hymns 176 and 59 A. & M.
Magnificat 112 Hutchings.
Music 323 do
Psalms, Crotch & Boyce.
Kyrie, 346 Hutchings.
Gloria, B. G. 357 do.
Sanctus 402 do.
Gloria in Excelsis 407 do.
Special TeDeum after Benediction, Helmore,

The Rector gave a short address and administered the Holy Communion to 16 Communicants.

At St. Paul's at 8 a. m. on X'mas Day the Holy Communion was celebrated, and notwithstanding the very stormy weather, there were 16 Communicants. The Hymn 'Hark! the herald Angels sing,' and "O come, all ye faithful" were heartily sunr by the Choir.

A 3rd Service was held in St. Mary's Chapel at 11 a. m. Before the usual morning prayers were said, and during the ringing of the Church bell, the children of St. Mary's Sunday School sang Christmas Carols very sweetly, under the leadership of Miss Gillespie. After Morning Prayer, there was a celebration of the Holy Communion with a Christmas Sermon by the Rector. The following music was sung in a very creditable manner by the Choir.

Venite, Turle
Te Deum, Clarke Whitfield.
Benedictus, 103 Hutchings
Anthem 'Cradled all Lowly', *Gonoud.*
Kyrie, 346 Hutchings.
Gloria, B.G., 357, do.
Sanctus, 402 do.
Gloria in Excelcis 407 do.

At 3 p m there was Evening Prayer with an address by the Rector on the testimony of the prophets in reference to Incarnation. The usual X'mas hymns were sung.

The offerings at all the services were in aid of the sick and needy and amounted to $27.36. On Christmas Eve the Rector was presented by the congregation of St. Paul's with a beautiful and valuable gold watch and on Christmas Day the Rev. gentleman received a handsome gift from the children of St. Mary's Sunday school.

Both churches are appropriately decorated for the Christmas Season. St. Mary's in every particular similar to last year. St. Paul's, in several particulars, [illegible] more than usual care and work, [illegible] probably the 61st time [illegible] Christ's

Presentation to Mrs Gray.

The [illegible] Gray's well known [illegible] her a Christmas [illegible] with the following address

Dear Mrs. Gray—As the old year is [illegible] and this is the season of the year [illegible] kind friends are thought to [illegible] assembled in this room have this pleasure of presenting you with these small tokens for your kindness towards us. Of course we can't always be with you and as the days and weeks roll by you can look back and think of your friends who so highly esteemed your kindness and generosity while we staid with you. Now wishing you the compliments of the season and many of them, we have the pleasure of presenting you with this small token as a remembrance for your kindness and hospitality towards us in the year 1886 which will soon be to a close.

MISS LOGAN, AARON HARRIS,
MR. FORTHINGHAM, SAMUEL HARRIS
CAPT. BARKER, ALEXANDER BURR,
DAVID WARD, GEO. LA TOUR,
E. ARCHIBALD.

REPLY.

To Miss Logan, Mr. Fotheringham, Capt. Barker D. W. Ward, Aaron Harris, Samuel Harris, Alex. Burr, Geo. La Tour, E Archibald.

DEAR FRIENDS—It is with a feeling of [illegible] that I accept your [illegible] so much [illegible] a large [illegible] expression of good-will [illegible] and for your [illegible] hours to make your home [illegible] comfortable

You have really taken me by surprise, such kindness was quite unexpected and I thank you sincerely for the kind remembrance and assure you it will be a pleasure to me in the future to look back to this day and think of the kind friends who then were my guests. Again thanking you, I am

Yours Truly,
MRS. JOHN GRAY.

The Great Official.

Our Derby friends are much amused over the antics and experiences of a self-important personage among them, who is known as "The Great Indiantown Branch Government Official." He was one of the orators at the recent Tory political gathering there, and spoke with becoming fervor in behalf of the party by whose gracious patronage he was enabled to enjoy his official title. Even while he spoke, however, the fatal axe of official decapitation was suspended above his head, though he knew it not. He was appointed to look after the railway tank which is supplied from a spring on the Knight property. [illegible] have imagined that this ap-

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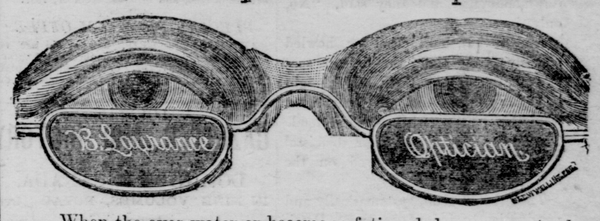

When the eyes water or become so fatigued by use as to be obliged to be frequently closed or relieved by viewing different objects

When more light is required than formerly.

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When the lamp has to be placed between the eye and the object.

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The general Annual Meeting of the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi, will be held at Wilson's Hotel Chatham, on THURSDAY, the 13th of January next at 11 a. m.

G. B. FRASER,
Secretary.

Chatham, Dec., 29th 1886.

Chatham Gas Light Co.

The Annual Meeting of the Chatham Gas Light Company will be held at the office of John Ellis Esq., Chatham, on WEDNESDAY, 5th Jan. next at 3 o'clock p m

THOS. F. GILLESPIE,
President.

Chatham, N. B., Dec, 28th 1886.

An Adjourned ANNUAL MEETING

of the MIRAMICHI STEAM NAVIGATION CO., will be held in the Temperance Hall, Chatham, on THURSDAY, 13th prox. at 8 o'clock p. m.

WM. MURRAY,
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Chatham, Dec., 28th 1886.

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The subscriber offers for sale his four acre field on the Station Road in the Town of Chatham adjoining "Blink Bonnie" property, known as the Matheson field.

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