

I can solemnly declare that there was not that "uproari noise," no "smashing of champagne" or other bottles, and one individual left the supper room in a state of intoxication. have been in Scotland at dinners of clergymen of the Church Scotland, at which there was as much noise, and at which clergy managed to put themselves outside far more liquor than was done by any one at the New Glasgow supper.

It is said that MacDonald is a bigotted tee-totaller, hence animus against the managers of the Scottish Gathering, for the tertainment on the ground, and at the Hotel. But even admitting that *Mac* is a teetotaller, and that he kept a School, sur common sense should suggest to the silly creature, that he is o bringing disgrace on an otherwise respectable cause, by pro gating gross falsehoods and calumnies against his neighbor. Had this teetotal rooster contented himself with crowing on own midden at New Glasgow, I would not have deigned to not him; but having come to Halifax, and taken up his posit under the wings of the *P. Witness*, I feel called upon to declar that his account of the New Glasgow Supper is totally destit of truth, and is simply the production of his own intemper and wretchedly fertile imagination.

Yours, &c.

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