THE UNION ADVOCATE, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 1884.

Correspondence.

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ting drink in this County. The Sections are as follows :-on they have arrived at in regard to it, and whether anything more need be expected from the other two Commis sioners than from the Chairman (other disquisitions on what should be done) looking towards or aiming at enforcing the Act. The uppermost feeling, and which intrudes itself on the mind on ading the Chairman's letter, is that,

even if unconstitutional in some parts, af feetsthis County under the Canada Temper-ance Act. and the Board and Chief Inspector appointent of the appointment of the In-spointed for the purposes of acd by virtue of sections 142 and 143 of said License Act been in the different bodies which might be different bodies which might be does no orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an orchard of any value in the different bodies which might be does to an the illegal sale of liquor. as they should have and exercise had that Act been in force, and as the appointment of the In-spector rests with them, it plainly is the duty of the Board to see that he efficient ly discharges the duties of his office, and if they find him guilty of laxity and gen-if they find him guilty of laxity and gen-eral inefficiency, on which point they can easily inform themselves if they care to do so, it is their plain duty in the in-terests of law and order as conscientious and faithful officers, to dismiss him with And the process of last performance of the process of last performance of the process of last performance of last

have no power to direct him what he shall or shall not do," in other words, have no control of him and final-ly that the Chairman of the Board need not be expected to "initiate himself or press the initiation of any particular control or the breaches of these

at they are officers specially y law, for the purpose of pre-sale and traffic in intoxica-n this County. ions are as follows:-

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Council at Belfast.

Five ministers from other churches

have applied to be received into the Pres-

in the western section. Prof. Forrest presented the report

WOLFVILLE SEMINARY.

good balances on the right side.

Church.

Mr. J. W. Tait, a Chatham boy, had

MR. C. H. LABILLOIS was glad to be present at such a large and influential public meeting. He briefly referred to the statement in the Adverse to the statement in the Adverse to the statement in the Adverse to be appropriating public funds for work that was never performed. West. We regret to lose two residents, alike respected for personal integrity and steady industry.

I. C. R. Nine

though the language used is spirited, it possesses a fatal weakness and is charac-terized by a want of what is popularly known as "backbone." Now as a mem-ber of Northumberland Division and conversant with the contents of the Communication addressed by that body to the Chairman, a copy of which I have been favored with, I would say and purpose to point out, that his reply is in no wise an answer to that communication. It was sent to the Chairman over a month ago, at which time the Inspector had not since his appointment some two onths before, laid any complaints or entered any prosecutions against viola-tors of the Scott Act or apparently had not entered upon his duties, although as he affirmed himself, he expected and meant to be paid for his time since his appointment, and there was a general uncertainty as to whether the Inspector intended to take any steps towards enforcing the Act or not. The reason given by the Inspector for his inaction was that he had been instructed by the Chairman of the Board, not to begin any stitutionality of the License Act 1883, and it was in reference to this matter and Inspector, and nowhere in the total Board Board assumed in relation to enforcing the Scott Act and what its intentions were, that constituted the purpose and ned the subject matter of the Division's letter at that time, and I understand the communications sent the Chairman by Newcastle and other Divisions, were of the same tenor, and writtheir appointment and take any action in the matter. To show the nature of the letter calling out the reply for the that the Chairman is correct in letter calling out the reply from the Chairman, and the desire of the Divisions for the general good, I hope it with for the general good, I hope it will not be unfitting "for this once" with your permission, to reproduce that communi- perance Act," which enacts that the procation that those interested may see what its objective point was. It is as follows :--

Northumberland Division S. of T. ? Chatham, April 26th, 1884.

TO HIS HONOR JUDGE WILKINSON, Chairman of Board License Act Commis-

sioners. <text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text> At a meeting of the Sons of Temperan held last evening, the undersigned members were appointed a Committee to address a

or take effect within any County, city, town, incorporated villages, or township in Canada they within which the second part of the said Act provided or within which any by-law or prohibiting the sale of liquor under "The Temperance Act of 1864, "or any other Act is in force. Section 142. "A Board of Commissioners may notwithstanding that such Act or any such by-law affects the whole of any County whole by law affects the whole of any County is there for their existence, other than these all such powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and duties proposed to the full societ and the inspector and would per-subal exercise and duties proposed to 'bould also in a glick the duties and the inspector and would per-subal the inspectors shall have, discharge and tawing their salaries. The Chairman takes some pains to inform the public as to what may and what may not be ex-ors shall exercise and duties proposed of thim, and intimates that he constrate the sole and public as to their non-obliga-tively for preventing the sale of discharge all their figure trains to inform the public as to what may and what may not be ex-ors shall exercise and duties proposed of him, and intimates that he respective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and duties respectively have or 'bould exercise and discharge all their corsective powers and Temperance Act, 1818, and The Temper ance Act of 1864, as well as of this Act. So far as the same apply within the limits of my County, city, incorporated village, or ownship or parish, in which the first men-tioned Act is in force."

and it was in reference to this matter and an enquiry as to what position the is there any warrant for the view express-discharge. Nevertheless the Board of duty of the Inspector, "to assist and cooperate in the carrying out of the Scott Act" and that it is not "his duty alone." The Chairman attempts to show that it is the 'uty of "all good citizens" to constitute themselves complainants and prosecutors for violations of the Act. As the License Act is not in effect in this county, except future opportunity.

> A MEMBER OF NORTH'LD DIVISION. and section 101st of " The Canada Tem-A VALUABLE PAPER.

> > Newcastle, June 7, 1884.

within whose official Division the offence was committed; or by or in the name of The Editors of the Advocate. any person," are the sole grounds the Chairman finds on which to base his GENTLEMEN .--- I read with much amusement the following choice morsel in the claim that it is the duty of private indi-

viduals to become complainants or pro-secutors. He attaches great importance Advance" of 5th inst.

uestion, for the subsidy was granted by the Dominion. As the counties of Bona-venture and Gaspe contained about 45,000 inhabitants he thought the Dominion Government might themselves build the ine and bridge so as to open up such need not be expected to "initiate himself or press the initiation of any particular case for the breach of these Acts" as it might clash with his duties to be dis-charged as Judge on Appeal and Review, although Parliament in passing the Act thickly populated districts. A large on the music of the new hymnal occurred. trade was done with Halifax and if the General satisfaction was expressed. oridge was not built it would be a great hardship to these points as they would In the discussion which followed, the main points brought out were—that the governing his appointment, has not taken that view of the dual position he occu-It will be therefore seen that the sole duties of the Board and Inspector is the proper enforcement of the Scott Act and as the law provides remunerative salaries for these officers, the whole responsibili-is there any warrant for the view express-duty of the Inspector, "to assist and co-duty of the Inspector, "to assist and co-duty of the Inspector, "to assist and cowhich he is Chairman will, under the law and by the provisions of the Act by which it is appointed, he held responsible for the satisfactory enforcement of the Scott Act, and accountable for any con-sequences arising from their failure to do so. There are many other points on which I would like to touch, but as this letter is already too lengthy I will not were made. unanimously. On motion of Wm. Murray, seconded from the eastern section. It shows a most successful year's work spiritually do so at this time, reserving these for a by A. McKenzie, a committee consisting of J. D. Sowerby, Henry McIntyre and mission work were over \$6,000, and for paper has, is a proof of its unpopularity, tion can be obtained near by, and taking . P. Mowat was appointed to interview augmentation over \$5,000. There are

Thanking you for space so kindly the few in Newcastle, at any rate, who all these facts into consideration it was given, I remain yours respectively and take it, read it only to laugh at the the universal opinion that the bridge bumptious conceit of the swaggerer who would cost much less to build than would is the only admirer of his precious sheet. a line from Mission Point to Metapedia. On the other hand if the line was built

three bridges would have to be construct ed on the other side, and the natural Vox. obstruction which existed from the rocks

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conferred upon him. TORONTO, June 6.—An overture from TORONTO, June 6.—An overture from tory for the "Invincibles". There were selves in this important matter. MR. ARCH MCKENZIE moved that the

MR. ARCH MCKENZIE moved that the secretary do correspond with the Mayors and councillors of the townships of Bona-venture and Gaspe to get them to use their influence to get the proposed their influence to get the proposed change made. The bridge could not in Provinces shows over \$44,000 raised for Club.

any way injure Quebec, but would be of benefit to those two counties. The con-struction of the railway was a Dominion Rev. Lewis M. Jordan has been elected SHIPPING .- There are three vessels in port and; two at Oak Bay, H. O'Leary's vessel, "C. S. Parnell," is loading at Mr. O'Leary's mill, Mission Point. a delegate to the Pan-Presbyterian A congratulatory resolution will be transmitted to the United Methodist

We are blessed with an awful dose of wet weather. TROUT fishing is blooming; five and A breezy but good-natured discussion

six pounders are plentiful. SALMON not very plentiful. Yours truly.

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Jottings About Town.

main points brought out were—that the County of Restigouche had never receiv-ed a dollar from the Province for railway ed a dollar from the Province for railway In the evening some missions and the result of the same interest manifested here in or the same interest manifested here in oretain oretain or the same interest manif

the manufacture of excelsior, and has orders in for a large quantity of this material. The cutters and press are all ready and work at this branch will commence shortly.

Mr. A. C. Atkinson, Road Commissioner has hands employed in laying a new sidewalk along the south side of Water street, commencing at the Waverley cor-ner. It was badly needed.

Burglars attempted to enter the store There was a large gathering to witof John Fish on Monday night, but fail-College and Seminary at Wolfville on the 4th inst. The platform, on which were seated the faculty, and prominent visit-ors, was beautifully decompted to be a provided by an exampled a Those Plum Trees. When we first read the statement in the Advance that the persons engaged in surveying a line for the Government Branch from Darby Siding hed destrand

TEE GILCHRIST SCHOLARSHIP .- The llowing letter from Earl Derby to Lord Lansdowne is published in the Royal Gazettee :--

DOWNING STREET, 21st March, '84.

ter If you want bargains, you can be ac-commodated at John Fish',.

would require a large quantity of ex-pensive operations to be undertaken. Again there would be fourteen miles of railway competing with the I. C. R., would bave to be kept in Branch from Derby Siding had destroyed tificates, conferring degrees etc.. At repair, some sixty plum trees in Mr. Henry four o'clock the ceremony of unveiling and he did not believe that if this were

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Mr.

he Quebec members.

and press for their assistance.

McKenzie's ' resolution passed

Votes of thanks were passed to 'the

cal members and Judge Wilkinson for

their presence, to Robert Moffat, M. P.

for his letter, to the chairman, secretary,

*The ** Advacet or out to be held at Campbellton on Thurs-store of finance to be held at Campbellton on Thurs-store of finance to the fact that a mass meeting was a prosecution therefore can be sustained"

I remain, Yours truly,

