order to Messrs. Naylor & Co., were not justified in declining to appoint the Inspector for the reasons assigned; that an Inspector, appointed by the Board here, after the 14th August, could not have inspected the iron while being manufactured; and that Mr. Reed, after visiting the works, was not dissatisfied with the Rails, as alleged by Mr. Scovil; and consequently that the responsibility attaching to the transaction necessarily rests upon the late Commissioners.

I now leave the whole question to the calm consideration of a discerning public.

S. L. TILLEY.

FREDERICTON, 1st FEBRUARY, 1859.