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mittee, as he is out of the jurisdiction and is not a "compellable" witness. He replied to the effect that he was leaving for the South in a day or two—his letter is dated the 8th instant—and he would not return until about the beginning of April, after which time he would be available if the Committee desired to take his evidence. With regard to Mr. Loggie's inquiry as to the opinion of a Master Car Builder on the subject of sub-division of an express car, so that one end can be refrigerated for the carrying of fish, I may say that I understood from Mr. Stout that he would get a report for submission to the Committee. In case he does not, Mr. Found or the Secretary will write him. The information will be obtained at all events and will form part of the record.

Committee adjourned.