Appendix (F.) 9th March.

FIRST Annual Report of the PETERBOROUGH and PORT HOPE RAILWAY COMPANY, in conformity with the Act 10 Victoria, Chap. 109.

TO the HONORABLE the COMMONS of the UNITED PROVINCE of CANADA in Provincial Parliament assembled.

The Directors of the PETERBOROUGH and PORT HOPE RAILWAY COMPANY, in compliance with the requirements of the Act, 10 Victoria, Chap. 109, beg leave most respectfully to report—

	£	s.	d.
Stock disposed of to sundry persons, 1852 Shares of £10 each	18520	0	0
do unsold, 8148 Shares of £10 each	81480	0	0
Amounting to the Capital Stock of the Company	£100000	0	0

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Received on account of First Instalment, being 2½ per cent. paid on 1227 Shares	306	15	0	Paid towards obtaining an Act of Incorporation	14	5	0
do payment in full for 20 Shares	200	0	0	do cost of preliminary Survey	202	10	0
Instalment of 2½ per cent. on 605 Shares not paid,	156	5	0	do Secretary's salary to 1st January, 1848	100	0	0
				do furnishing Office, stationery, fuel, &c.	16	15	0
				do travelling expenses of Secretary and Directors	41	8	11
				do printing Report and Map, Office books, printing, advertizing and postage	44	1	5½
				£	419	0	4½
				Balance in hand £ 87 14 7½; do due on First Instalment 156 5 0	243	19	7½
£	663	0	0		663	0	0

WILLIAM MILLARD,
Secretary to the Company.

Sworn before me, at Port Hope,
this 29th day of February, 1845.
J. T. WILLIAMS, *J. P.*

The Directors have to state, that owing to the distress in the commercial community, they have judged it prudent not to push off the Stock of the Company at the present time; but with a return of prosperity it is their intention to do all in their power to carry out the work.

DAVID SMART,
President.