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have told me, and have done your duty : have the Directors given you these orders in writing, and if so, will you be good enough to give me a copy? He said the President had told him. But he evidently looked upon the President as I did upon the bondholders, for it was not until the presence of Williams that he said, I demand the return of the G. T. R. cars ; when I quietly said, I shall not bring them back to-day.

I next received the following letter :

PORT HOPE, 19th April, 1859.

JOHN FOWLER, Esq.,

Sir,—Having received notice from the representative of the bondholders, Port Hope and Lindsay Railway, to remove all our rolling stock now occupying their road, as they consider it trespassing, you will be good enough to have the cars lent you by our company on Saturday, 16th inst., returned to the Grand Trunk Railway Station, Port Hope, on the receipt of this notice. Should you fail to do so, you do it at your own risk.

J. BIRMINGHAM, Agent G. T. R.

He says if I do not return the cars it will be at my own risk. He may rest satisfied of that. (Laughter.) I have the cars yet and will keep them until I get others. They think if they could get the cars off the track that the lease would be closed, as it is imperative on me to run a train a day ; but they are mistaken even in this. Even the removal of their cars would not forfeit the lease ; but they think so and have been acting in that behalf. On that day my engineer became timid. It had been rumoured that the employees of the Company would stop the trains, but I knew the poor unpaid men would not do anything of the kind and told him so. As for the Directors they knew better than to do that ; they had sufficient knowledge as to be aware that there is a place in Kingston, to which they would speedily be consigned if they attempted anything of that nature ; and were learned enough in law to keep out of that.

The Railway Company have given me a lease of the Peterboro' Branch for 999 years, and the privilege of running over the main road ; but they cannot run over the Branch, and shall not. They had possession once and might have kept possession ; but in obtaining it they merely set a trap for me, but by stopping my road