

fertilizers (other than chemicals), ores, pig iron, blooms, billets, wire rods, and scrap iron, a decrease of $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. from the increase given by General Order No. 308 and any other Orders affecting the said commodities issued since that date, which will hereafter leave the increase granted by said General Order No. 308, in Western Canada, at $12\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. and, in Eastern Canada, at $17\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.; the term "forest products" as set out in such list to be defined as follows:—

10 In the territory east of Port Arthur, Ontario, in accordance with the list of commodities shown in C. P. R. tariff C. R. C. No. E-3818 as taking rate basis "A"; in the tariffs from British Columbia to Prairie points on the commodities taking Group A and B rates, as shown in C. P. R. tariff C. R. C. No. W-2573; and from stations in Alberta and British Columbia to stations in Eastern Canada, in accordance with the Canadian Freight Association tariff C. R. C. No. 30, also on pulpwood west of Port Arthur, Ontario.

20 In cases where reductions heretofore granted or ordered upon these commodities have not amounted to $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. as above described, they shall be reduced to that point, and, where they exceed $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., they will remain as they are at present.

These reductions are made upon the same basis in both Eastern and Western Canada with the object of preserving the same spread between these territories as was provided by General Order No. 308.

(b) On coal, other than anthracite and coal from the head of the Lakes westward, all increases provided for by General Order No. 308 to be rescinded.

30 (c) On commodities moving under class and commodity between points east of Montreal and points west of Port Arthur and Fort William, the establishment of arbitraries as provided for herein;

(d) On the territory between North Bay and Sault Ste. Marie, Schedule A rates to be applied.

(e) Mountain rates to be reduced to the basis provided for herein; and

(f) The increase in excess baggage rates, as provided in General Order No. 308, to be eliminated.