SPECIAL COMMITTEE

9-10 EDWARD VII., A. 1910 FRIDAY, March 11, 1910.

The committee met at 11.15 a.m.

PRESENT: Messrs. Geoffrion, (Chairman), Macdonald, Clarke (Essex), and Wilson (Laval)-4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr. SMITH, K.C., examined Mr. Lumsden on behalf of the Commissioners.

The following papers were filed as exhibits:-

No. 30. Letter dated September 8, 1904.

" 31. Letter dated December 13, 1907.

" 32. Letter dated June 20, 1906.

" 33. Letter dated November 16, 1908.

" 34. Statement of names of engineers in cuts in District B., mentioned by Mr. Lumsden in his statement (Exhibit No. 2).

" 35. Similar statement regarding District F.

The committee adjourned till Tuesday, March 15, at 11 o'clock, a.m.

Attest,

WALTER TODD,

Clerk.

TUESDAY, March 15, 1910.

The committee met at 11 o'clock a.m.

Chairman.

VICTOR GEOFFRION,

PRESENT:-Messrs. Geoffrion (Chairman), Macdonald, Clarke (Essex) and Wilson (Laval).-4.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The examination of Mr. Lumsden by Mr. Smith, K.C., was continued.

No. 36.-Letter dated November 23, 1905, Lumsden to A. E. Doucet.

No. 37.-Letter dated November 9, 1907, A. E. Hodgins to S. N. Parent.

No. 38.-Letter dated November 19, 1907, Lumsden to S. N. Parent.

No. 39.-Letter dated August 24, 1907, S. N. Parent to Lumsden.

No. 40.-Letter dated August 24, 1907, Lumsden to A. E. Hodgins.

No. 41.-Letter dated November 21, 1907, S. N. Parent to A. E. Hodgins.

The committee rose at one o'clock p.m.

4 o'clock, p.m.

The committee resumed.

Examination of Mr. Lumsden by Mr. Smith, K.C., continued.

The following papers were filed and marked as exhibits:-

No. 42.-Letter of October 26, 1907, A. E. Doucet to Lumsden.

No. 43.—Letter of October 26, 1907, H. F. Huestis to A. E. Doucet.

No. 44.-Letter of October 26, 1907, C. L. Hervey to A. E. Doucet.

No. 45.—Declaration, October 26, 1907, B. Bourgeois.

- No. 46.—Letter of October 26, 1907, A. R. Matthews to A. E. Doucet.
- No. 47.-Opinion of Messrs. Shepley and Lafleur, K.Cs., re Classification.
- No. 48.—Supplementary opinion of Messrs. Shepley and Lafleur, K.Cs., re Classification.

No. 49.—Opinion of Mr. C. H. Ritchie, K.C., re Classification.