

Freight Rates Discrimination

B. C. Lumbermen and Shingle Manufacturers Association Explain Situation.

Railway Commission Told of the Difficulties Which Confront the Industry.

At the first day's sitting of the railway commission in Vancouver, a matter taken up of special interest to the lumber and mill men on Vancouver island was that of the B. C. Lumbermen and Shingle Manufacturers Association, no discrimination in freight rates on the C. P. R. In this matter, Mr. B. W. Greer, general freight agent, and Mr. E. P. Davis, K. C., spoke for the railway commission, and Mr. H. W. D. Miller, general manager of transportation for the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

Manufacturers to compete there under these freight rates. He also wished for an even rate for shingles and lumber, which obtained in the Rainy River and Lake in the Woods district. They wished besides for an arbitrary difference of 7 cents per 100 pounds between Kamloops and the coast; in other words where rates were 35 cents for 100 from Kamloops they wanted 40 cents from Vancouver.

Mr. Miller said that they had been asking for some months past, and had been giving them all the statements on the subject that they had. He also submitted a letter showing that the application for the reduction for shingles and doors had also been made in June last. Mr. Greer said that the idea of carrying with shingles and doors at less than carload rates was to encourage them to ship in carload lots.

"Anti-Dumping" Act in Force

Preparations Completed for the Enforcement of Recent Legislation.

General Impression at Ottawa That Earl Grey Succeeds Lord Minto.

Ottawa, Aug. 30.—The anti-dumping clause goes into full effect Thursday. Four Canadian customs officials will be stationed in the States to determine values. H. J. Lord, of the outside office, is expected to be appointed at New York. Officers will also be appointed at Boston, Cleveland and Chicago, and probably one in the Pacific coast states.

Earl Grey May Succeed Minto

Duke of Marlborough's Name Now Gives Place to Popular Nobleman.

Protest From the Dominion Too Strong For Downing Street to Neglect.

London, Aug. 29.—(Special)—Earl Grey, and the Duke of Marlborough, is to succeed Lord Minto as Governor-General of Canada. This information developed this afternoon in some official circles and the appointment is expected to be announced as soon as the exigencies of colonial diplomacy can be met.

DOMINION NEWS NOTES

Montreal, Aug. 30.—After reading the suggestions presented by the sub-committee, which previously had been appointed for the purpose of reviewing the constitution and rules of the organization, the committee of management of the N. A. L. I. adjourned last night's meeting without any drastic steps having been taken and without any radical change having been adopted.

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Vertical text on the right side of the page, including 'The question in Western Canada is not so much how to make a living as where to make it.' and 'The country immediately outside the town is singularly beautiful; the unplanting-promoted, but covered with woods of pine and fir, and a lovely wild jungle of arbutus, roses, flower-