

Decision No. 18679

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application  
of  
GRANGERS BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

for

an order approving the order of  
The Board of Supervisors of the  
County of Contra Costa, State of  
California, made July 5, 1927,  
granting to the Grangers Business  
Association, its successors and  
assigns, a renewal of the right  
to construct and maintain a wharf  
and to take tolls thereon for the  
use of the same for the term of  
twenty years, on certain land sit-  
uated and bordering on the Straits  
of Carquinez, in said County of  
Contra Costa.

ORIGINAL

Application No. 13931

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER APPROVING FRANCHISE

GRANGERS BUSINESS ASSOCIATION, a corporation, having been granted on the 5th day of July, 1927, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Contra Costa, a franchise for a period of twenty years from said date, conferring the right to construct and erect and maintain a wharf, and take tolls thereon, upon certain lands bordering upon the southerly shore of the Straits of Carquinez, and situated in Township No. 12 of said County, which lands are more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a point on the northerly line of the right of way of the Northern Railway Company, now owned by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, on the southerly shore of the Straits of Carquinez in the said County of Contra Costa, and distant 1700 feet westerly from the center line of Eckley's small wharf, and 150 feet westerly from the southwesterly corner of the wharf franchise heretofore granted to the Sacramento Bank, now owned by said Grangers Business Association, and running

thence westerly along said northerly line of said Northern Railway right of way, now owned by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, 1000 feet; thence northerly at right angles with said Railway right of way 300 feet to ships channel in the Straits of Carquinez; thence easterly and parallel with said right of way 1000 feet; thence southerly and at right angles 300 feet to the place of beginning.

And Grangers Business Association, having applied to the Railroad Commission for approval of said franchise, which is a renewal of a franchise previously approved by this Commission (Railroad Commission Decisions 15196 and 15217 in Application 11425), and having submitted to this Commission copies of papers filed with said Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, together with a copy of the order of said Board of Supervisors, granting the said franchise;

And the Commission being of the opinion that this is not a case in which a public hearing is necessary, and that the application should be granted;

NOW, THEREFORE: IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the franchise above referred to, which was granted to Grangers Business Association, a corporation, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Contra Costa under date of July 5, 1927, be, and the same is hereby approved.

Dated at San Francisco, California this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1927.

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*Tom Whitell*  
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*Thos. L. Lott*  
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Commissioners.