

Decision No. 19196.**ORIGINAL**

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the Application  
of The American Railway Express  
Company for authority to abandon  
its agency at Twain, County of  
Plumas, State of California.

Application No. 14265.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O R D E R

The American Railway Express Company, a corporation, has filed with the Commission an application for an order authorizing the abandonment of its agency at station of Twain on the Western Division of the Western Pacific Railroad Company in Plumas County, State of California.

Applicant alleges that \$1,044.72 express business was transacted at the said agency station of Twain during the annual period ending November 30th, 1927; that the agent is a resident of Twain and receives ten per cent of revenue for business handled as compensation for his services as agent; that on account of illness the present agent would like to discontinue employment and the applicant is unable to obtain any other resident of Twain to act as agent.

The California Farm Bureau Federation has been consulted in this matter and advises through its manager, J. J. Deuel, that it has no representations to make regarding the granting of this application.

It appears to the Commission that this is not a matter in which a public hearing is necessary and that the application should be granted, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that permission and authority be and it is hereby granted to The American Railway Express Company, a corporation, to abandon its agency at the station of Twain, located on the main line of the Western Pacific/Railroad Company on its Western Division in Plumas County, State of California, and to eliminate said agency name from its station records; provided, however, that coincident with the abandonment of said agency station, applicant will continue to serve the public at that point as a non-agency station by accepting and delivering all express shipments offered at the express car door of all trains stopping at that point.

The authority herein granted shall become effective on the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of December 1927.

Frank J. ...  
Chas. ...  
Leon ...  
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M. A. ...  
 Commissioners.