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Decision No. 20002

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the matter of the application of  
the Northwestern Pacific Railroad  
Company for permission to remove  
station agent from its station at B  
Street, San Rafael.

Application No. 14845.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O R D E R

**ORIGINAL**

Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company, a corporation, has filed with the Commission an application for an order authorizing the abandonment of its agency at "B" Street Station, on its San Anselmo-San Rafael Line, in Marin County.

Applicant alleges that on account of the recent change in the method of selling tickets on applicant's trains, there is no necessity for the maintenance of an agent at said station; that within the last few months applicant has installed cash registers on all of its interurban cars and trains and has made arrangements whereby commutation books may be purchased on the ferry boats of applicant and thereby no inconvenience will be suffered by the public if said station agent is removed. Marvelous Marin, a civic organization of Marin County, and the City Council of San Rafael have signified by letters that they do not object to the removal of the agent from said "B" Street Station.

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 Northwestern Pacific Railroad Company, a corporation, to abandon its agency at "B" Street Station, located on the San Anselmo-San Rafael Line, in Marin County, provided, however, that coincident with the abandonment of said agency, applicant will operate said "B" Street Station as a non-agency station.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1928.

Leon Whiteley

Ed Seamy

Wm. J. ...

Paul ...

M. J. ...

Commissioners.