Decision No. 22898

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of the Southern Pacific Company for authority to close agency at Springville, County of Tulare, State of California.

Application No. 16753.

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER

Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, has filed with the Commission an application for an order authorizing the abandonment of its agency at its station of Springville on its Springville Branch, San Joaquin Division, in Tulare County.

Applicant alleges that Two (2) Dollars of passenger business was transacted at the station of Springville during the annual period ending January 31, 1930; that One Thousand, One Hundred and Sixty-Nine (1,169) Dollars of less then carload and Five Thousand, One Hundred and Ten (5,110) Dollars of carload freight business was transacted at said station during the same period; that the abandonment of the agency will not involve the abandonment of any facilities; and that, in the opinion of applicant, the continued maintenance of the agency is not necessary for the business of the applicant or for the public. The County of Tulare end the California Farm Bureau

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Federation have informed the Commission, in writing, that they do not oppose the granting of this application.

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Applicant has advised that, in the event this application is granted, it will store the L.C.L. freight in the warehouse at Springville, to be kept under lock and key, and appoint the superintendent of the Hospital as custodian of the key.

It appears 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 Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, to abandon its agency at the station of Springville, located on the Springville Branch of its San Joaquin Division in Tulare County, and to eliminate said agency name from its station records, subject, however, to the putting into effect of the plan of caring for the L.C.L. freight as indicated above.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 25th day of September, 1930.

Commissioners.

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