Decision No. 24388.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application of Southern Pacific Company for authority to abandon the non-agency station of Fremont, in the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Application No. 17868.

BY THE COMMISSION:



Southern Pacific Company, a corporation, on December 15, 1931, applied for authority to abandon its non-agency station of Fremont, located on its Coast Division between Menlo Park and Palo Alto, in San Mateo County, State of California.

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Applicant alleges that no passenger business was transacted at said station during the year ending October 31, 1931; that the freight shipments during this time consisted of 346 car loads of building materials; that it is prepared to extend the switching limits of Menlo Park to include the said non-agency station of Fremont; that the proposed abandonment will not involve the abandonment of any facilities nor affect any of the service now afforded to shippers in the vicinity, and that, in applicant's opinion, the continued maintenance of non-agency is not necessary for the business of applicant or for the public.

Peninsula Building Material Company, Inc., of Menlo Park, who is the principal shipper at this point, has signified, in WIII= ing, that it does not object to the granting of this application.

It appearing that a public hearing is not necessary herein and that the application should be granted.

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Southern Pacific Company is hereby authorized to abandon its non-agency station of Fremont, located on the Coast Division in San Mateo County, State of California; to eliminate said non-agency name from its station records, and to cancel, in conformity with the rules of this Commission, all rate tariffs and time schedules applying at said station, subject to the following conditions:

- (1) The public shall be given not less than ten (10) days notice by posting a suitable sign in a conspicuous place at said non-agency.
- (2) Applicant shall, within thirty (30) days thereafter, notify this Commission, in writing, of the abandonment of the facilities authorized herein and of its compliance with the conditions hereof.
- (3) The authorization herein granted shall lapse and become void if not exercised within one (1) year from the date hereof, unless further time is granted by subsequent order.

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

Dated at San Francisco, California, this _// day of January, 1932.

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