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Decision No. 25109

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
J. M. GOOLD)
for permission to purchase and operate)
a water system and sell water for do-) Application No. 18270
mestic use.)

J. M. Goold, in propria persona.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O P I N I O N

In this application, as amended at the hearing had on August 25th before Examiner Fankhauser, J. M. Goold and Earl Martin, intending to do business under the firm name and style of Martin and Goold Water Company, ask for a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing them to operate and maintain a public utility water system in Tract No. 9180 near El Monte, Los Angeles County, California.

They also ask the Commission to fix the rates under which water may be sold by them.

J. M. Goold is now operating a public utility water system under the authority granted by Decision No. 24736 dated May 2, 1932, in Application No. 18048.

It appears from the record in this matter that H. N. Gage, whose affairs are now in the hands of a receiver, installed a water system on said Tract No. 9180, Los Angeles County. This tract of land is located between Elliott and Weaver Roads on

Lexington Avenue near El Monte. It comprises approximately six acres and has been subdivided into 26 lots. There are now sixteen consumers on the tract.

There has been installed on this tract a 7-inch well about 90 feet in depth, a 4-inch turbine pump operated by a 5 H.P. motor connected to a 1500 gallon pressure tank. The distributing system consists of four inch riveted steel and two inch standard pipe. The receiver of E. N. Gage, according to the record, has agreed to sell the water system to J. M. Goold at a cost of \$650.00. Of this price, \$114.00 will be paid through the cancellation of an indebtedness which E. N. Gage owes J. M. Goold, and the balance will be paid by the use of one half of the proceeds from the sale of water on the tract. It occurs to us that this agreement is an evidence of indebtedness which is payable at more than one year after date and that therefore its execution should be authorized.

The purchasers propose to charge the consumers on Tract No. 9180 the same rates which the Commission established in Decision No. 24736 dated March 2, 1932.

ORDER

J. M. Goold and Earl Martin having asked the Commission to enter its order, as indicated in the foregoing opinion, the Commission having considered the requests of applicants, and it being of the opinion that such requests should be granted, therefore,

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA HEREBY DECLARES, that public convenience and necessity require and will require that J. M. Goold and Earl Martin operate and maintain a water system under the firm name and style of Martin and Goold

Water Company, for the purpose of supplying domestic and irrigation water to lots on Tract No. 9180 in the County of Los Angeles.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that J. M. Goold and Earl Martin, intending to do business under the firm name and style of Martin and Goold Water Company, be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to file with the Commission within thirty(30) days from the date of this order the following schedule of rates to be charged for all service rendered consumers in said tract subsequent to the 31st day of August, 1932:-

MONTHLY FLAT RATES

For each residence, including one lot.....	\$1.50
For each additional house on one lot.....	1.00
For each vacant lot used for the growing of vegetables, lawn, shrubbery, etc	1.50

METER RATES

Monthly Minimum Charges:

5/8 x 3/4-inch meter.....	1.50
3/4-inch meter	1.75
1-inch meter	2.00
1 1/2-inch meter	3.00
2-inch meter	5.00
3-inch meter	8.00

The foregoing "Monthly Minimum Charges" will entitle the consumer to the quantity of water which that monthly minimum charge will purchase at the following "Monthly Quantity Rates."

Monthly Quantity Rates:

From 0 to 1,000 cubic feet, per 100 cubic feet.....	\$.15
All over 1,000 cubic feet, per 100 cubic feet.....	.07

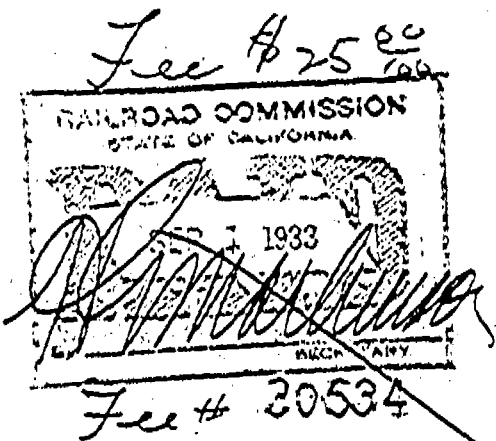
IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, that J. M. Goold and Earl Martin, intending to do business under the firm name and style of Martin and Goold Water Company, be, and they are hereby, directed to file with the Railroad Commission within thirty(30) days from the date of this order, rules and regulations governing relations with their consumers, said rules and regulations to become effective upon their acceptance and filing with this Commission.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, that J. M. Goold and Earl Martin, intending to do business under the firm name and style of Martin and Goold Water Company, be, and they are hereby, authorized to execute an agreement covering the purchase of the aforesaid water system.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, that the authority herein granted to execute said agreement covering the purchase of said water system will become effective when said J. M. Goold and Earl Martin, intending to do business under the firm name and style of Martin and Goold Water Company, have paid the minimum fee prescribed by Section 57 of the Public Utilities Act, which minimum fee is Twenty-five(\$25.00) Dollars.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, that for all other purposes the effective date of this order is twenty(20) days from the date hereof.

DATED at San Francisco, California, this 29th day of August, 1932.



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Leon Whiteley
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Fred G. Stewart
Commissioners.