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Decision No. 11146.

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter of the Application of)
EMPIRE MILL AND ELECTRIC COMPANY,)
a corporation, to lease its electric)
light plant, lines and water ditch)
to A.L. Young.)

Application No. 7941

BY THE COMMISSION:

O R D E R

EMPIRE MILL AND ELECTRIC COMPANY asks permission to lease its electric plant to A.L. YOUNG. The company is engaged primarily in operating a flour mill at Fort Bidwell, Modoc County. In connection with its flour mill, it operates a small hydroelectric plant during the summer season. The operating revenues for the electric properties during 1921 are reported at \$613.15. Applicant reports that it is difficult for it to obtain competent help to operate the electric plant and believes that the community will be given better service if it leases such plant to A.L. Young. A copy of the proposed lease is filed in this proceeding.

The Commission has considered applicant's request and believes that this is a matter on which a public hearing is not necessary and that this application should be granted as herein provided; therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that EMPIRE MILL AND ELECTRIC COMPANY be, and it is hereby, authorized to lease its electric plant to A.L. YOUNG pursuant to the terms and conditions of the lease, a copy of which is filed in this proceeding. The Commission reserves the right to modify from time to time the lease if it should appear

that such modification is in the public interest.

DATED at San Francisco, California, this 20th
day of October, 1922.

James Maguire
Charles A. Lawrence
J. J. Benedict

Commissioners.