Decision No.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

By the Commission,

<u>ORDER</u>.

THE ATCHISON, TOPENA AND SANTA FE RAILWAY COMPANY, a corporation, having on March 21, 1916, filed with the Commission an application for permission to construct two spur tracks at grade across a county road one-half mile east of Pittsburg. Contra Costa County, California, as hereinafter indicated, and it appearing to the Commission that this is not a case in which a public hearing is necessary: that the proposed crossings are not within an incorporated town or city and no franchise is necessary for the construction of said crossings at grade, and it further appearing that it is not reasonable nor practicable to avoid grade crossings with said county road, and that this application should be granted subject to the conditions hereinafter specified,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED. That permission be hereby granted The Atchigon, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company to construct two spur tracks at grade across a county road one-half mile east of Pittsburg, Contra Costa County, California, as shown by the map attached to the application: said crossings to be constructed subject to the following conditions, viz.:-

(1) The entire expense of constructing the crossings, together with the cost of their maintenance thereafter in good and firstclass condition for the safe and convenient use of the public shall be borne by applicant.

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(2) Said crossings shall be constructed of a width and type of construction to conform to those portions of the county road now graded, with grades of approach not exceeding four (4) per cent; shall be protected by suitable crossing signs, and shall in every way be made safe for the passage thereever of Vehicles and other road traffic.

(3) The Commission reserves the right to make such further orders relative to the location, construction, operation, maintenance and protection of said crossings as to it may seem right and proper, and to revoke its permission if, in its judgment, the public convenience and necessity demand such action.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 22nd day of March, 1916.

Max Shele

Commissioners.