

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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In the matter of the investigation :
into the rates of the CROCKER-HUFFMAN :
LAND AND WATER COMPANY. :
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Case No. 332

ON THE COMMISSION'S OWN INITIATIVE.

BY THE COMMISSION:

O R D E R .

The Merced Colony Improvement Club and the Merced County Water Users' Protective Association having filed with this Commission complaints assigned respectively Cases Nos. 299 and 310, which complaints draw in question the sufficiency of the service of the Crocker-Huffman Land and Water Company, and this Commission having held a hearing upon this matter on October 10, 1912, at Merced, California, which hearing has been continued to December 10, 1912, at Merced, California, and this Commission being of the opinion that a thorough investigation into the questions involved in the above mentioned cases should, in this instance, include an investigation into the rates charged by the Crocker-Huffman Land and Water Company,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED That this Commission institute, on its own initiative, under the provisions of Section 60 of the Public Utilities Act, an investigation into the rates charged by the Crocker-Huffman Land and Water Company, and that the Secretary of this Commission be and he hereby is instructed to notify said Crocker-Huffman Land and Water Company to appear before this Commission on Tuesday, the 10th day of December, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Court House, at Merced, California, before Commis-

sioners Gordon and Edgerton, at which time and place said Crocker-Huffman Land and Water Company may appear and be heard upon the matter involved in this investigation.

AND BE IT FURTHER ORDERED That if said Crocker-Huffman Land and Water Company does not appear at said time and place said company shall be guilty of contempt of this Commission and subject to the penalties prescribed by said Public Utilities Act.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 7th day of November, 1912.

John M. Eschman
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H. B. Loveland
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Alfred H. ...
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Edwin O. Edgerton
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Max Skelen
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Commissioners.

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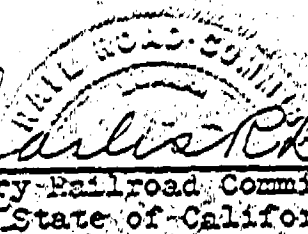
Crocker-Huffman Land and Water Company,
525 Crocker Building,
San Francisco, California.

You are hereby notified that the Railroad Commission of the State of California has set the above entitled case for hearing before Commissioners Gordon and Edgerton, on Tuesday, the 10th day of December, 1912, at 10 o'clock, A. M., in the Court House, at Merced, California, at which time and place you will be given an opportunity to be heard.

And you are further notified that attached hereto is a true and correct copy of the Order of this Commission directing that an investigation be held, on its own initiative, in the proceeding entitled as above.

By order of the Railroad Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 7th
day of November, 1912.


Charles R. Dutrik
Secretary Railroad Commission
of the State of California.