

ORIGINAL

Decision No. 5765.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the Matter of the Application)
of DOUGLAS CRUM for permit to)
operate passenger and freight)
service by means of stages or)
auto-stages between the City of)
Chico, County of Butte, State of)
California, and the Town of)
Colusa, County of Colusa, State)
of California.)

Application No. 4044.

Douglas Crum in propria persona

BY THE COMMISSION

O P I N I O N

Douglas Crum has petitioned the Railroad Commission for an order declaring that public convenience and necessity require the operation by him of an automobile stage line as a common carrier of passengers and freight between the City of Chico, County of Butte, and the Town of Colusa, County of Colusa.

A public hearing was held by Examiner Handford at Chico on September 13, 1918, the matter was duly submitted and is now ready for decision.

Applicant proposes to charge rates in accordance with a schedule marked exhibit "A" and filed with the application in this proceeding, and to operate on a schedule of one round trip daily, serving the intermediate communities at Butte City and Princeton.

The equipment proposed to be used consists of one seven passenger Reo Automobile, and extra equipment is proposed

to be used during the season of heavy travel at the time of the rice harvest.

The route for which certificate is desired was formerly served by the stage line operated by M. H. Goe, and which line has ceased operation.

At the hearing on this application no protest was made against the granting of the desired certificate, and after consideration of the evidence in this proceeding we are of the opinion that the application should be granted in accordance with the terms of the following order.

O R D E R

Douglas Crum having petitioned the Railroad Commission for an order declaring that public convenience and necessity require the operation by him of an automobile stage line as a common carrier of passengers and freight between the City of Chico, County of Butte and the Town of Colusa, County of Colusa, a public hearing having been held, the matter having been duly submitted and the Commission being fully advised and of the opinion that the application should be granted,

THE RAILROAD COMMISSION HEREBY DECLARES that public convenience and necessity require the operation by Douglas Crum of an automobile stage line as a common carrier of passengers and freight between the City of Chico, County of Butte, and the Town of Colusa, County of Colusa; provided, however, that this declaration shall not become effective until said Douglas Crum shall have secured from the Railroad Commission a supplemental order herein reciting that said Douglas Crum has filed herein certified copies of permits issued by the Boards of Supervisors

of the Counties of Butte and Colusa, and from the Boards of Trustees of the City of Chico and the Town of Colusa in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 213, Laws of 1917; and provided, further, that the rights and privileges herein granted may not be assigned nor transferred unless the written consent of the Railroad Commission to such assignment or transfer shall have first been procured.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that no vehicle may be operated under this certificate unless such vehicle is owned by the applicant herein or is leased by said applicant under a contract or agreement on a basis satisfactory to the Railroad Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 16th day of September, 1918.

Edwin O. Edgerton
H. L. Loveland
W. G. Gordon
Frank R. Berlin

Commissioners.