Decision No. 6260.

CRICINAL.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of the DIRECTOR
GENERAL OF RAILROADS, OPERATING ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA
FE RAILROAD, COAST LINES, for
authority to suspend operation
of said railroad company's interlocking plant at Highland Junction,
minority County, California.
Sau Comments.

Application No. 4504.

By the Commission.

ORDER

DIRECTOR CENERAL OF RAILROADS, OPERATING ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILROAD, COAST LINES, having on April 9, 1919, filed an application with the Commission for permission to discontinue the operation of said railroad company's interlocking plant at Highland an Bernardins Junction, in the County of Riverside, State of California; and it appearing to the Commission that this is not a case in which a public hearing is necessary; that the number of train movements through the plant has decreased to such an extent that the said interlocking plant is not necessary for the safe operation of the trains through this district; that the expense of maintaining and operating said interlocking plant is not justified by the small number of train movements: and it further appearing that public convenience and safety will be amply provided for by indicators installed at junction switches and the automatic signals at this point, and that the application should be granted:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, That permission be and the same is hereby granted DIRECTOR GENERAL OF RAILROADS, OPERATING ATCHISON,

TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILROAD. COAST LINES, to discontinue the use of the interlocking plant at Highland Junction, in the County of im Sunature. State of California, until such time as traffic shall again demand and warrant its operation.

The Commission reserves the right to make such further. orders relative to the construction, operation and maintenance of this interlocking plant as to it may seem right and proper, and to revoke its permission if, in its judgment, public convenience and necessity demand such action.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 14/2 day of April, 1919.