

Decision No. 8776

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BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

GEO. A. JOHNSON, et al.,)

Complainants,)

Vs.)

FORT COSTA WATER COMPANY,)
a corporation,)

Defendant.)

Case No. 1417.

W. H. Hanlon for Complainant.

A. E. Shaw for Port Costa Water Co.

BY THE COMMISSION.

O P I N I O N

The complaint, which is signed by eighteen patrons of defendant, living in Crockett, Contra Costa County, alleges that they are at times without water for domestic purposes for periods varying from one to twelve hours, and, on occasions, for longer periods, charging failure of service to lack of pressure. The answer denies the allegation, but states that defendant has procured an additional tank at higher elevation to equalize the distribution of water, and has connected with it the services of part of complainants and is proceeding as rapidly as possible to connect the remaining services.

Public hearing upon the case was held by Examiner Westover at Crockett.

At the hearing it appeared that the complaints of thirteen of the eighteen complainants had been satisfied by the reconnection of mains and pipes. Defendant stated that the remaining services would be so connected.

We are advised that as to four of the complainants, the complaint of failure of water on occasions has not been satisfied or corrected.

O R D E R

Public hearing having been held in the above entitled case, the matter being submitted and ready for decision,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that, within 20 days, defendant make the proper pipe connections with its high level tank in order that all of the complainants in above proceeding shall receive adequate and continuous service of water; and within 10 days thereafter make verified report describing the connections made and the effect upon service of complainants.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 27th day of March, 1921.

Frank R. Dwyer

H. D. Loveland

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Commissioners.