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Decision No. 8843.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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In the Matter of the Application of)
CALIFORNIA RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY,)
INC., for a certificate of public)
convenience and necessity to operate)
freight and express service.)
.....)

Application No. 6422.

- G. H. Gobar for Welton and Snyder, Protestants.
- Herbert W. Kidd, for L. R. Kagarise, Proprietor, Keystone Express; T. R. Rex; Boutell and Fuqua; J. O. Ernst; C. W. Curphey; Los Angeles and San Pedro Transportation Company; Thomas Vance; Walter Raisin; Motor Transit Company; Motor Carrier's Association; United Stages; G. & W. Stage Company; and Pickwick Stages, Inc., Protestants.
- H. N. Blair for American Transfer Company, Protestant.
- W. T. Quirck and E. T. Lucey for The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company, Protestant.
- Frank Karr by G. F. Squires for Pacific Electric Railway Company, Protestant.
- L. N. Bradshaw and B. J. Cross for Southern Pacific Company, Protestant.
- L. T. Fletcher for Fletcher and Tremble, Props., Service Motor Express, Protestants.
- M. Thompson for American Railway Express, Protestant.
- Fred T. Pettit for Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railroad, Protestant.
- I. L. Hamilton for Van Nuys Truck, Protestant.
- H. S. Macy for Auto Baggage Delivery, Protestant.

BY THE COMMISSION:

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

A public hearing having been held in the above entitled proceeding by Examiner Handford at Los Angeles on March 31, 1921, at which time no appearance was made in behalf of applicant herein, notwithstanding that due notice of such hearing had been given and that a large number of protestants, together with witnesses, were present and ready to

proceed,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, That this application be and the same hereby is dismissed.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER ORDERED, That no application on behalf of the California Rapid Transit Company ; Inc., will in future be set for hearing by the Railroad Commission until such applicant will have satisfied this Commission that such future application contains matters sufficiently meritorious, in the opinion of the Commission, to justify a public hearing thereby conserving the time and expense resulting from the setting of hearings where applicants are not represented and also the time and expense of other interested parties who may appear in protest together with the inconvenience caused by the appearance of attorneys and witnesses representing protestants.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 9th day of April, 1921.

Frank DeWitt
H. J. Lovell
H. A. Brundage
Erving Martin

Commissioners.