

Decision No. 17474.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
the FARMERS ALLIANCE BUSINESS ASSO-)
CIATION for permission to discontinue)
to operate a public utility warehouse)
at Atascadero, California.)

Application No. 19657.

BY THE COMMISSION:

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O P I N I O N

This is an application filed by the Farmers Alliance Business Association, a corporation, for authority to discontinue warehouse operation as a public utility at Atascadero.

Applicant has on file with the Commission Warehouse Tariff No. 6, C.R.C. No. 6, effective July 15, 1933, naming rates for storage and handling of grain at Paso Robles and Atascadero. It alleges that the territory around Atascadero is not now devoted to grain growing and that the revenue to be derived from grain storage is not sufficient to justify the operation of its warehouse. The granting of the application will not deprive the public of warehouse service, as the territory is served by the Southern Pacific Milling Company and others.

It appears that this is a matter not requiring a public hearing and that the application should be granted.

O R D E R

The Farmers Alliance Business Association, a corporation, having applied for authority to discontinue the operation of its ware-

house at Atascadero as a public utility, and it appearing that public necessity does not require said operation,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Farmers Alliance Business Association, a corporation, be and it is hereby authorized to discontinue warehouse operation as a public utility at Atascadero, and to amend its Warehouse Tariff No. 6, C.R.C. No. 6, accordingly.

The effective date of this order shall be twenty (20) days from the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 29th day of October, 1934.

Leon Whitwell
W. J. Lewis
W. B. Harris
W. H. [unclear]
W. A. [unclear]
Commissioners.