

Decision No. 36840

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of application of SOUTHERN)
 PACIFIC COMPANY for an order authorizing the) Application
 construction at grade of Industry tracks) No. 25977
 across Sherwood Avenue, in the Town of)
 McFarland, County of Kern, State of California.)

BY THE COMMISSION:

O R D E R

Southern Pacific Company is authorized to construct two spur tracks at grade across Sherwood Avenue in McFarland, Kern County, at the locations described in the application, to be identified as a portion of Crossing No. B-267.3. Applicant shall bear entire construction and maintenance expense. Construction of said crossing shall be equal or superior to Standard No. 2 of G. O. No. 72, without super-elevation and of a width to conform to the portion of the street now graded, with tops of rails flush with roadway, and with grades of approach not exceeding one per cent. Protection shall be by one additional Standard No. 1 crossing sign (G. O. No. 75-B).

No train, engine, motor or car shall be operated over said crossings unless said train, engine, motor or car shall be first brought to a stop and traffic on the highway protected by a member of the train crew or other competent employee acting as flagman.

Applicant shall remove the tracks shown in yellow on the map (San Joaquin Division Drawing A-5847) attached to the application, in so far as they lie in Sherwood Avenue, and shall repair the roadway to conform to the remainder thereof.

Within thirty days after completion pursuant to this order, applicant shall so advise the Commission in writing. This authorization shall become void if not exercised within one year, unless time be extended, or if above conditions are not complied with. Authorization may be revoked or modified if public convenience, necessity or safety so require. This order shall be effective immediately.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 25th day of
January, 1914.

Richard Sachs

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