ORIGINAL

Decision No. 45863

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of)
Alberta E. Ferretti, individually, )
and as administratrix of the estate)
of Orrin L. Ferretti, deceased, to )
discontinue business and abandon )
operations of the Mountain Motor )
Lines as a petroleum carrier.

Application No. 32400

## OPINION

On August 1, 1950, Alberta E. Ferretti, administratrix of the estate of Orrin L. Ferretti deceased, applicant herein, was granted a certificate authorizing the establishment and operation of a service as a petroleum irregular route carrier for the transportation of petroleum and petroleum products in tanks and tank trailers between all points and places in the state of California.

Following the death of her husband she asserts she was unable to continue operating the business and on February 15, 1951, ceased holding herself out to the public as a common carrier of the products enumerated above. Under the circumstances applicant alleges that she finds it impossible to operate the service and requests that the operative right heretofore granted authorizing the service be cancelled and annualled.

Applicant also requests the cancellation of Radial ... Highway Common Carrier Permit No. 39-4629 and of a highway contract carrier permit, both allegedly formerly held by her. The records of the Commission show that Radial Permit No. 39-4629 was revoked on April 16, 1951, at the request of the applicant, and she never has held a contract carrier permit. It appears that under the