

IN THE MATTER OF VIRGIL O. KING, INC., OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST IN MID-CONTINENT-YOUNG FARM

SUSPENSION ORDER, ORDER FOR HEARING (UNDER RULE 340 (A)) AND ORDER DESIGNATING A TRIAL EXAMINER

The Securities and Exchange Commission, having reasonable grounds to believe, and therefore alleging, that the offering sheet filed by Virgil O. King, Inc., on the 18th day of July 1936, covering a certain royalty interest in the property described therein as Mid-Continent-Young Farm is incomplete or inaccurate in the following material respects, to wit:

1. In that the answer to Item 3, Division III, omits to state reasons for the use of each particular factor there used, in combination with each of the other factors in the particular tract.

2. In that no consideration has been given in Division III to the volumetric shrinkage due to the liberation of gas in solution and to reduction of pressure and temperature from reservoir to atmospheric.

It is ordered, pursuant to Rule 340 (a) of the Commission's General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that the effectiveness of the filing of said offering sheet be, and the same hereby is, suspended until the 22nd day of August, 1936; that an opportunity for hearing be given to the said Virgil O. King, Inc., for the purpose of determining the material completeness or accuracy of the said offering sheet in the respects in which it is herein alleged to be incomplete or inaccurate, and whether the said order of suspension should be revoked or continued; and

It is further ordered, that Robert P. Reeder, an officer of the Commission be, and he hereby is, designated as Trial Examiner to preside at such hearing, to adjourn the said hearing from time to time, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, consider any amendments to such offering sheet as may be filed prior to the conclusion of the hearing, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, or other records deemed relevant or material to the inquiry, and to perform all other duties in connection therewith authorized by law; and

It is further ordered, that the taking of testimony in this proceeding begin on the 10th day of August 1936 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon of that day at the office of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C., and continue thereafter at such times and places as said officer may designate.

Upon the completion of testimony in this matter the officer is directed to close the hearing and make his report to the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS, *Acting Secretary.*

[F. R. Doc. 1435—Filed, July 27, 1936; 12:59 p. m.]

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 24th day of July A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF W. L. THOMAS & CO., INC., OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST IN CONTINENTAL OIL CO.—YOUNG FARM

SUSPENSION ORDER, ORDER FOR HEARING (UNDER RULE 340 (A)) AND ORDER DESIGNATING A TRIAL EXAMINER

The Securities and Exchange Commission, having reasonable grounds to believe, and therefore alleging, that the offering sheet filed by W. L. Thomas & Co., Inc., on the 18th day of July 1936, covering certain royalty interests in the property described therein as Continental Oil Co.—Young Farm—is incomplete or inaccurate in the following material respects, to wit:

In that no complete and sufficient data are given in answer to Item 3, Division III, in the comparison drawn in omitting consideration of migration of oil.

It is ordered, pursuant to Rule 340 (a) of the Commission's General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that the effectiveness of the filing of said offering sheet be, and the same hereby is, suspended until the 22nd day of August 1936; that an opportunity for hearing be given to the said W. L. Thomas & Co., Inc., for the purpose of determining the material completeness or accuracy of the said offering sheet in the respects in which it is herein alleged to be incomplete or inaccurate, and whether the said order of suspension should be revoked or continued; and

It is further ordered, that Robert P. Reeder, an officer of the Commission, be, and he hereby is, designated as Trial Examiner to preside at such hearing, to adjourn the said hearing from time to time, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, consider any amendments to such offering sheet as may be filed prior to the conclusion of the hearing, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, or other records deemed relevant or material to the inquiry, and to perform all other duties in connection therewith authorized by law; and

It is further ordered, that the taking of testimony in this proceeding begin on the 10th day of August 1936, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day at the office of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C., and continue thereafter at such times and places as said officer may designate.

Upon the completion of testimony in this matter the officer is directed to close the hearing and make his report to the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DuBOIS, *Acting Secretary.*

[F. R. Doc. 1437—Filed, July 27, 1936; 1:00 p. m.]

Wednesday, July 29, 1936

No. 98

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

EXECUTIVE ORDER

AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE A, SUBDIVISION VIII, PARAGRAPH 5, CIVIL SERVICE RULES

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the provisions of paragraph Eighth of Subdivision Second of section 2 of the Civil Service Act of January 16, 1883 (22 Stat. 403, 404), paragraph 5, Subdivision VIII of Schedule A of the Civil Service Rules, is hereby amended by adding thereto the following subparagraph:

(k) Guards, scalers, field assistants for reconnaissance parties, foremen engaged upon road or trail construction, and telephone operators, employed temporarily during the season of danger from fires or when special work requires additions to the regular forest force. Such employees shall serve only so long as absolutely required and in no case beyond the usual field season. So far as the Commission may deem practicable, appointments of such employees shall be made from the registers of eligibles.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
July 23, 1936.

[No. 7422]

[F. R. Doc. 1446—Filed, July 23, 1936; 10:29 a. m.]

EXECUTIVE ORDER

AMENDMENT OF SUBDIVISION I, SCHEDULE B, CIVIL SERVICE RULES

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the provisions of paragraph Eighth of subdivision

SECOND of section 2 of the Civil Service Act of January 16, 1883 (22 Stat. 403, 404), it is ordered that Subdivision I of Schedule B of the Civil Service Rules be, and it is hereby, amended by eliminating paragraph 2 thereof, and changing paragraph 1 thereof to read as follows:

1. Positions in the Bureau of Indian Affairs in Washington, D. C., and in the field, not now excepted from examination under Schedule A, where the applicants are of one-fourth or more Indian blood.

FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
July 26, 1936.

[No. 7423]

[F. R. Doc. 1445—Filed, July 28, 1936; 10:29 a. m.]

EXECUTIVE ORDER

TRANSFERRING CERTAIN LANDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR USE AS A SOIL CONSERVATION EXPERIMENTAL STATION

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 (49 Stat. 115), and as President of the United States, it is ordered that the following-described lands in Pope County, Illinois, consisting of 430 acres, more or less, be, and they are hereby, transferred from the control and jurisdiction of the Resettlement Administration to the control and jurisdiction of the Department of Agriculture for use as a soil conservation experimental station:

THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN

- T. 12 S., R. 5 E.,
sec. 31, W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, that part of W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ lying south of the established east-west public highway, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
sec. 32, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ except one (1) acre on which is located a school house;
T. 13 S., R. 5 E., sec. 4, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$.

FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
July 26, 1936.

[No. 7424]

[F. R. Doc. 1447—Filed, July 28, 1936; 10:29 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

GSQR Series 3 Issued July 27, 1936

[GENERAL SUGAR QUOTA REGULATIONS, SERIES 3, REVISION 2,
SUPPLEMENT 1]

ADJUSTMENT IN QUOTAS FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 1936

By virtue of the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture by Public Resolution No. 109, approved June 19, 1936, and by the Agricultural Adjustment Act, approved May 12, 1933, as amended (hereinafter referred to as the "act"), I, R. G. Tugwell, Acting Secretary of Agriculture, in order to regulate commerce with Cuba and other foreign countries, among the several States, with the Territories and possessions of the United States, and the Commonwealth of the Philippine Islands, with respect to sugar, having due regard to the welfare of domestic producers and to the protection of domestic consumers and to a just relation between the prices received by domestic producers and the prices paid by domestic consumers, do hereby make, prescribe, publish, and give public notice of these regulations (constituting a supplement to General Sugar Quota Regulations, Series 3, Revision 2), which shall have the force and effect of law and shall remain in force and effect until amended or superseded by regulations hereafter made by the Secretary of Agriculture.

1. It is hereby determined, pursuant to Section 8a (2) (D) of the said act, that for the calendar year 1936 the Philippine

Islands will be unable by an amount of 97,909 short tons of sugar, raw value, to produce and deliver the quota established for that area in General Sugar Quota Regulations, Series 3, Revision 2, issued July 2, 1936.

2. There are hereby allotted, pursuant to the determination made in paragraph 1 hereof and to Section 8a (2) (D) of the said act, to sugar producing areas other than the Philippine Islands,¹ the following additional quotas:

Area	Additional quotas in terms of short tons, raw value
The States of Louisiana and Florida.....	8,515
Territory of Hawaii.....	23,204
Puerto Rico.....	19,756
Virgin Islands.....	130
Cuba.....	45,673
Foreign countries other than Cuba ¹	632

¹ The additional quota of 632 tons of sugar, raw value, established in paragraph 2 hereof for "Foreign countries other than Cuba" shall represent an additional reserve for further allotment to such countries.

3. It is hereby determined, pursuant to the said Public Resolution No. 109 and to Section 8a (1) (A) of the said act, that the additional quota fixed in paragraph 2 hereof for Cuba may be filled by shipments of direct-consumption sugar not in excess of 10,048 short tons, raw value.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the Department of Agriculture to be affixed in the District of Columbia, City of Washington, this 27th day of July 1936.

[SEAL]

R. G. TUGWELL,
Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 1442—Filed, July 27, 1936; 3:13 p. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

Immigration and Naturalization Service.

[General Order No. 235]

CITIZENSHIP AND NATURALIZATION OF WOMEN

JULY 27, 1936.

The following Act was approved June 25, 1936 (Public, No. 793, 74th Congress):

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That hereafter a woman, being a native-born citizen, who has or is believed to have lost her United States Citizenship solely by reason of her marriage prior to September 22, 1922, to an alien, and whose marital status with such alien has or shall have terminated, shall be deemed to be a citizen of the United States to the same extent as though her marriage to said alien had taken place on or after September 22, 1922: Provided, however, That no such woman shall have or claim any rights as a citizen of the United States until she shall have duly taken the oath of allegiance as prescribed in section 4 of the Act approved June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. 596; U. S. C., title 8, sec. 381), at any place within or under the jurisdiction of the United States before a court exercising naturalization jurisdiction thereunder or, outside of the jurisdiction of the United States, before a secretary of embassy or legation or a consular officer as prescribed in section 1750 of the Revised Statutes of the United States (U. S. C., title 22, sec. 131); and such officer before whom such oath of allegiance shall be taken shall make entry thereof in the records of his office or in the naturalization records of the court, as the case may be, and shall deliver to such person taking such oath, upon demand, a certified copy of the proceedings had, including a copy of the oath administered, under the seal of his office or of such court, at a cost not exceeding \$1, which shall be evidence of the facts stated therein before any court of record or judicial tribunal and in any department of the United States.

Pursuant to authority conferred by Section 28 of the Act of June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. 606; U. S. C., t. 8, sec. 356), as amended by Section 8 of the Act of March 2, 1929 (45 Stat. 1513; U. S. C., t. 8, sec. 356), and Executive Order No. 6166 dated June 10, 1933, the following amendments are made

¹ In view of the determination made in paragraph 4, section II, of General Sugar Quota Regulations, Series 3, Revision 2, the allotment which would otherwise be made to the Continental United States Beet Sugar Producing area is prorated among the areas listed in paragraph 2 hereof.

to the Naturalization Regulations of January 1, 1932, as amended, for enforcement of the above quoted Act:

Subdivision B of Rule 3 is amended by adding in proper numerical order the following to the forms listed therein:

Form No.	Title
2234	Application for Oath of Allegiance to the United States under the Act of June 25, 1936 (Public, No. 793—74th Congress).

Paragraph 5, Subdivision D, Rule 7, is amended to read as follows:

PAR. 5. For regulations covering the filing of petitions for naturalization by women, see Rule 19 of the Naturalization Regulations, entitled "Citizenship and Naturalization of Women."

New Rule 19 of the Naturalization Regulations shall read as follows:

RULE 19. Citizenship and naturalization of women.

Subdivision A. Petition for naturalization.—

PARAGRAPH 1. A woman—

(a) who has lost her United States citizenship by marriage to an alien eligible to citizenship (other than a woman of the class described in Subdivision B, hereof) or by reason of the loss of United States citizenship by her husband and has not acquired any other nationality by affirmative act; or

(b) who had lost her United States citizenship prior to March 3, 1931, by residence abroad after marriage to an alien or by marriage to an alien ineligible to citizenship (other than a woman of the class described in Subdivision B hereof) and has not acquired any other nationality by affirmative act; or

(c) who is a native of Puerto Rico and is permanently residing therein and who, prior to March 2, 1917, had lost her American nationality by reason of her marriage to an alien eligible to citizenship, or by reason of the loss of United States citizenship by her husband:

is not required to have a declaration of intention, or a certificate of arrival; or to reside for any period of time within the United States or the county where her petition for citizenship is filed. She may file her petition in any court exercising naturalization jurisdiction, regardless of her place of residence. If a certificate executed by a naturalization examiner on form 2800 is attached to the original and duplicate petition at the time it is filed, the petition may be heard at any time after the date it is filed, except within the period of 30 days next preceding any election general to the court. The foregoing provisions of this paragraph do not apply to a woman whose United States citizenship originated solely by reason of her marriage to a citizen of the United States or by reason of the acquisition of United States citizenship by her husband.

Subdivision B. Resumption of citizenship.—

PARAGRAPH 1. (a) A woman who—

- (i) was a native born citizen of the United States;
- (ii) has or is believed to have lost United States citizenship solely by reason of her marriage prior to September 22, 1922, to an alien; and
- (iii) whose marital status with such alien has or shall have terminated

is deemed to be a citizen of the United States to the same extent as though her marriage to such alien had taken place on or after September 20, 1922. However, no such woman shall have or claim any rights as a citizen of the United States until she shall have duly taken the oath of allegiance as prescribed in Section 4 of the Act of June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. 596).

(b) Such woman shall take the oath of allegiance to the United States if at any place within or under the jurisdiction of the United States, before a court exercising naturalization jurisdiction, using for that purpose form 2234 of the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

PARAGRAPH 2. Form 2234, which constitutes the court record of the transaction, should be executed in triplicate. The original should be retained as the record of the court and the duplicate forwarded to the Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization, Washington, D. C., through the proper District Director or Divisional Director of Immigration and Naturalization on the first day of the succeeding month. The clerk of court shall furnish to the applicant, upon her demand, at a cost not exceeding \$1, a certified copy of the proceedings, under the seal of the court, including a copy of the oath administered. For that purpose the triplicate copy of form 2234, which should be duly certified by the clerk, may be furnished to such applicant. If no such demand be made the triplicate, uncertified, shall be forwarded with the duplicate as provided above.

[SEAL] D. W. MACCORMACK,
Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization.

Approved:

CHARLES O. GREGORY,
Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 1443—Filed, July 28, 1936; 10:18 a. m.]

[General Order No. 236]

ABSENCE OF AN ALIEN FROM THE UNITED STATES DURING THE PERIOD OF RESIDENCE REQUIRED BY THE NATURALIZATION LAWS

JULY 27, 1936.

The second paragraph of the fourth subdivision of Section 4 of the Naturalization Act of June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. 598; U. S. C., t. 8, sec. 382), as amended by the Act of March 2, 1929 (45 Stat. 1513; U. S. C., t. 8, sec. 382), is further amended by the Act of June 25, 1936 (Public, No. 803—74th Congress), to read as follows:

SEC. 4. . . . Fourth If an individual returns to the country of his allegiance and remains therein for a continuous period of more than six months and less than one year during the period immediately preceding the date of filing the petition for citizenship for which continuous residence is required as a condition precedent to admission to citizenship, the continuity of such residence shall be presumed to be broken, but such presumption may be overcome by the presentation of satisfactory evidence that such individual had a reasonable cause for not returning to the United States prior to the expiration of such six months. Absence from the United States for a continuous period of one year or more during the period immediately preceding the date of filing the petition for citizenship for which continuous residence is required as a condition precedent to admission to citizenship shall break the continuity of such residence, except that in the case of an alien declarant for citizenship employed by or under contract with the Government of the United States or an American institution of research recognized as such by the Secretary of Labor, or employed by an American firm or corporation engaged in whole or in part in the development of foreign trade and commerce of the United States or a subsidiary thereof, no period of residence outside the United States shall break the continuity of residence if (1) prior to the beginning of such period (whether such period begins before or after his departure from the United States) the alien has established to the satisfaction of the Secretary of Labor that his absence from the United States for such period is to be on behalf of such Government, or for the purpose of carrying on scientific research on behalf of such institution, or to be engaged in the development of such foreign trade and commerce or whose residence abroad is necessary to the protection of the property rights in such countries of such firm or corporation, and (2) such alien proves to the satisfaction of the court that his absence from the United States for such period has been for such purpose.

No period of residence outside the United States during the five years immediately preceding the enactment of this Act shall be held to have broken the continuity of residence required by the naturalization laws if the alien proves to the satisfaction of the Secretary of Labor and the court that during all such period of absence he has been under employment by or contract with the United States, or such American institution of research, or American firm or corporation, described in section 1 hereof, and has been carrying on the activities described in this Act in their behalf.

Pursuant to authority conferred by Section 28 of the Naturalization Act of June 29, 1906 (34 Stat. 606; U. S. C., title 8, sec. 350), as amended by Section 8 of the Act of March 2, 1929 (45 Stat. 1513; U. S. C., title 8, sec. 356), and Executive Order No. 6166, dated June 10, 1933, the following regulations are prescribed for the enforcement of the above quoted act.

Subdivision B of Rule 3 of the Naturalization Regulations of January 1, 1932, as amended, is amended by adding in the proper numerical order the following to the forms listed therein:

Form No.	Title
2363	Application for the Benefits of the Act of June 25, 1936 (Public, No. 803—74th Congress).

Subdivision E of Rule 7 of the said Regulations is amended to read as follows:

PARAGRAPH 1. (a) Where a petitioner for citizenship has been absent from the United States for not more than six months during the period immediately preceding the date of filing the petition for which continuous residence is required, objection to the granting of naturalization will not be made on that ground unless the facts and circumstances indicate a break in the continuity of the required residence, in which case objection shall be made.

(b) Where the absence during such period has been for more than six months and less than one year in the country of the petitioner's allegiance, objection shall be made unless the evidence satisfactorily overcomes the presumption raised by the statute that the required continuity of residence has been broken.

(c) Where the absence from the United States during such period has been for a continuous period of one year or more, objection shall be made, unless the requirements of paragraphs 2 to 5 of this subdivision are complied with, as otherwise the law itself declares that such an absence breaks the continuity of the required residence.

(d) If objection made under this paragraph is overruled, exception shall be noted and the facts reported immediately to the Central Office.

PARAGRAPH 2. No period of residence outside the United States shall break the continuity of residence in the case of an alien declarant, if—

(a) prior to the beginning of such period (whether such period begins before or after the departure from the United States), the alien establishes to the satisfaction of the Secretary of Labor that such absence is to be—

- (i) on behalf of the Government of the United States and while he is employed by, or under contract with, such Government; or
- (ii) for the purpose of carrying on scientific research on behalf of an American institution of research recognized as such by the Secretary of Labor and while he is employed by, or under contract with, such institution; or
- (iii) for the purpose of engaging in the development of foreign trade and commerce of the United States as an employee of an American firm or corporation or subsidiary thereof engaged in whole or in part in the development of such trade and commerce; or
- (iv) necessary to the protection of the property rights of such firm or corporation in any foreign country or countries;

and if

(b) at the hearing on his petition for naturalization the alien proves to the satisfaction of the court that the absence from the United States for such period was for the purpose which was established to the satisfaction of the Secretary of Labor.

PARAGRAPH 3. No period of residence outside the United States during the five years immediately preceding June 25, 1936, shall be held to have broken the continuity of residence required by the naturalization laws if, the alien proves to the satisfaction of the Secretary of Labor in the manner provided in this subdivision and also to the satisfaction of the court that during all such period of absence he was under employment by, or contract with, the United States Government, or such American institution of research, or American firm or corporation, described in paragraph 2 hereof and carried on any of the activities described therein.

PARAGRAPH 4. Application for the benefits of paragraph 2 or of paragraph 3 of this subdivision shall be submitted in duplicate to the Secretary of Labor on form 2363 "Application for the Benefits of the Act of June 25, 1936 (Public, No. 803—74th Congress)."

PARAGRAPH 5. An application on form 2363 in accordance with paragraphs 2 and 3 of this subdivision will be duly considered by the Secretary of Labor and the alien notified of the decision thereon. A copy of such decision, verified or certified by the Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization or any Deputy Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization, shall be filed in the naturalization court with the alien's petition for naturalization as a part of the record of the naturalization proceeding.

[SEAL]

D. W. MACCORMACK,

Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization.

Approved:

CHARLES O. GREGORY,
Acting Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 1444—Filed, July 28, 1936; 10:19 a. m.]

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION.

CORRECTED ORDER¹

At a Session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 5, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 11th day of July A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING OF COPIES OF CONTRACTS BY CONTRACT CARRIERS BY MOTOR VEHICLE

It appearing, That by Section 218 (a) of the Motor Carrier Act, 1935, it is the duty of every contract carrier by motor vehicle to file with the Commission in the form and manner prescribed by the Commission, schedules, or, in the discretion of the Commission, copies of contracts containing the minimum charges of such carrier for the transportation of persons or property in interstate or foreign commerce, and any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such charge and the value of the service thereunder:

And it further appearing, That the filing by every such contract carrier by motor vehicle of copies of contracts containing the charges of such carrier for the transportation of passengers or property in interstate or foreign commerce, and any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such charges

and the value of the service thereunder is, in the judgment of the Commission, necessary and desirable in the public interest and that the discretion of the Commission, vested in it by Section 218 (a) of the Motor Carrier Act, 1935, should be exercised by requiring the filing of copies of such contracts by such contract carriers by motor vehicle, in lieu of such schedules, and the Commission, on the date hereof having so found:

It is ordered, That every contract carrier by motor vehicle subject to the jurisdiction of this Commission shall, on or before the 1st day of October 1936, file with the Commission, publish, and keep open for public inspection in the form and manner prescribed in Tariff Circular MF No. 1 and Tariff Circular MF No. 2, so far as the provisions of said circulars are applicable, copies of each and every contract now in force or hereafter entered into by such contract carrier containing the charges of such contract carrier for the transportation of passenger or property in interstate or foreign commerce, and any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such charges and the value of the service thereunder; and that the contracts so filed by any contract carrier shall be in lieu of any schedule or schedules theretofore filed by such carrier, and the filing of such contracts shall cancel any such schedule or schedules;

It is further ordered, That in each case in which any such contract is an oral one, the contract carrier who, or which, is party thereto shall prepare a memorandum containing an accurate and complete statement of the substance and terms of such contract, including the charges for transportation services performed or to be performed thereunder, and any rule, regulation, or practice affecting such charges and the value of such services, and shall cause to be endorsed thereon the written acknowledgment of each party to such contract that such memorandum contains an accurate and complete statement of the terms of such contract, and shall file said memorandum as endorsed with the Commission on or before the date above provided, and shall publish and keep open for public inspection a true, accurate, and complete copy of such memorandum in the form and manner prescribed in Tariff Circular MF No. 1, and Tariff Circular MF No. 2, insofar as such circulars may be applicable;

And it is further ordered, That notice of this order be given to all contract carriers by motor vehicle subject to said Act and to the public by depositing a copy of this order in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C.

By the Commission, division 5.

[SEAL]

GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 1448—Filed, July 28, 1936; 11:56 a. m.]

ORDER

At a Session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 5, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 22nd day of July A. D. 1936.

[Docket No. BMO 19564]

APPLICATION OF L. C. JONES FOR AUTHORITY TO OPERATE AS A COMMON CARRIER

In the Matter of the Application of L. C. Jones, Individual, Doing Business as L. C. Jones Trucking Co., of P. O. Box 4057, Oklahoma City, Okla., for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (Form BMC 1) Authorizing Operation as a Common Carrier by Motor Vehicle in the Transportation of Heavy Machinery, Oil Field Equipment and Supplies, in Interstate Commerce, From and Between Points in the Oil Producing Areas of Oklahoma, Kansas, Texas, Louisiana, New Mexico, Colorado, and Wyoming, Over Irregular Routes

It appearing, That the above-entitled matter is one which the Commission is authorized by the Motor Carrier Act, 1935, to refer to an examiner:

It is ordered, That the above-entitled matter be, and it is hereby, referred to Examiner P. S. Peyser for hearing and

¹ F. R. 850.

for the recommendation of an appropriate order thereon, to be accompanied by the reasons therefor;

It is further ordered, That this matter be set down for hearing before Examiner P. S. Peyser, on the 27th day of August A. D. 1936, at 9 o'clock a. m. (standard time), at the Skirvin Hotel, Oklahoma City, Okla.;

It is further ordered, That notice of this proceeding be duly given;

And it is further ordered, That any party desiring to be notified of any change in the time or place of the said hearing (at his own expense if telegraphic notice becomes necessary) shall advise the Bureau of Motor Carriers of the Commission, Washington, D. C., to that effect by notice which must reach the said Bureau within 10 days from the date of service hereof and that the date of mailing of this notice shall be considered as the time when said notice is served.

By the Commission, division 5.

[SEAL] GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 1449—Filed, July 28, 1936; 11:57 a. m.]

ORDER

At a Session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 5, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 22nd day of July A. D. 1936.

[Docket No. BMC 50159]

APPLICATION OF BERT G. COLE FOR AUTHORITY TO OPERATE AS A CONTRACT CARRIER

In the Matter of the Application of Bert G. Cole, of Hatton Ark., for a Permit (Form BMC 10, New Operation) Authorizing Operation as a Contract Carrier by Motor Vehicle in the Transportation of Commodities Generally, in Interstate Commerce, from and between Hatton, Ark., and Points Located in the States of Arkansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, and Kansas

It appearing, That the above-entitled matter is one which the Commission is authorized by the Motor Carrier Act, 1935, to refer to an examiner:

It is ordered, That the above-entitled matter be, and it is hereby, referred to Examiner P. S. Peyser for hearing and for the recommendation of an appropriate order thereon, to be accompanied by the reasons therefor;

It is further ordered, That this matter be set down for hearing before Examiner P. S. Peyser, on the 31st day of August A. D. 1936, at 9 o'clock a. m. (standard time), at the Hotel Marion, Little Rock, Ark.;

It is further ordered, That notice of this proceeding be duly given.

And it is further ordered, That any party desiring to be notified of any change in the time or place of the said hearing (at his own expense if telegraphic notice becomes necessary) shall advise the Bureau of Motor Carriers of the Commission, Washington, D. C., to that effect by notice which must reach the said Bureau within 10 days from the date of service hereof and that the date of mailing of this notice shall be considered as the time when said notice is served.

By the Commission, division 5.

[SEAL] GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 1450—Filed, July 28, 1936; 11:57 a. m.]

[Fourth Section Application No. 16443]

GRAVEL FROM LA GRANGE, MO., TO EPPERSON, ILL.

JULY 28, 1936.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act,

Filed by: R. A. Sperry, Agent.
Commodities involved: Gravel, road surfacing, carloads.

From: La Grange, Mo.
To: Eppercon, Ill.
Grounds for relief: Truck competition.

Any interested party desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice; otherwise the Commission may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing.

By the Commission, division 2.

[SEAL] GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 1451—Filed, July 23, 1936; 11:58 a. m.]

[Fourth Section Application No. 16444]

NEWSPRINT PAPER FROM PORT ALFRED, QUE., TO CHICAGO, ILL.

JULY 28, 1936.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act,

Filed by: B. T. Jones, Agent.
Commodity involved: Paper, newsprint, carloads, minimum weight 40,000 pounds.
From: Port Alfred, Que.
To: Chicago, Ill.
Grounds for relief: Truck-water competition.

Any interested party desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice; otherwise the Commission may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing.

By the Commission, division 2.

[SEAL] GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 1452—Filed, July 23, 1936; 11:53 a. m.]

[Fourth Section Application No. 16445]

AUTOMOBILES AND CHASSIS FROM CENTRAL TERRITORY TO THE SOUTH

JULY 28, 1936.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act,

Filed by: B. T. Jones, Agent.
Commodities involved: Automobiles, freight, S. U., chassis, freight automobile, S. U., in straight or mixed carloads.
From: Points in Ohio, Michigan, and Indiana.
To: River Terminal, N. C., and Valdosta, Ga.
Grounds for relief: Carrier competition.

Any interested party desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice; otherwise the Commission may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing.

By the Commission, division 2.

[SEAL] GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 1453—Filed, July 23, 1936; 11:53 a. m.]

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION.

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 27th day of July A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF CONTINENTAL INVESTMENT CORPORATION OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST IN MAGNOLIA-METROPOLITAN FARM

SUSPENSION ORDER, ORDER FOR HEARING (UNDER RULE 340 (A)) AND ORDER DESIGNATING A TRIAL EXAMINER

The Securities and Exchange Commission, having reasonable grounds to believe, and therefore alleging, that the offering sheet filed by Continental Investment Corporation, on the 20th day of July 1936 covering a certain royalty interest in the property described therein as Magnolia-Metropolitan Farm is incomplete or inaccurate in the following material respects, to wit:

1. In that the offering sheet covers two noncontiguous tracts of land. See Exhibit A.

2. In that there appears to be no reason given in Item 3, Division III for assuming a productive thickness of 72 feet in the Bromide formation.

3. In that the facts given in Item 3, Division III in comparison with Hunton Lime in Seminole with the property described do not indicate the basis upon which a determination of 8,000 bbls. per acre is used.

It is ordered, pursuant to Rule 340 (a) of the Commission's General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that the effectiveness of the filing of said offering sheet be, and the same hereby is, suspended until the 25th day of August, 1936; that an opportunity for hearing be given to the said Continental Investment Corporation for the purpose of determining the material completeness or accuracy of the said offering sheet in the respects in which it is herein alleged to be incomplete or inaccurate, and whether the said order of suspension should be revoked or continued; and

It is further ordered, that Charles S. Lohingier, an officer of the Commission, be, and he hereby is, designated as Trial Examiner to preside at such hearing, to adjourn the said hearing from time to time, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, consider any amendments to such offering sheet as may be filed prior to the conclusion of the hearing, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, or other records deemed relevant or material to the inquiry, and to perform all other duties in connection therewith authorized by law; and

It is further ordered, that the taking of testimony in this proceeding begin on the 11th day of August, 1936, at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon of that day at the office of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C., and continue thereafter at such times and places as said officer may designate.

Upon the completion of testimony in this matter the officer is directed to close the hearing and make his report to the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 1457—Filed, July 28, 1936; 1:00 p. m.]

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 22nd day of July A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF PARK T. GRIMES OFFERING SHEET OF ROYALTY INTEREST IN MID-CONTINENT-MATZEK FARM

ORDER CONTINUING SUSPENSION AND ORDER REVOKING ORDER FOR HEARING AND ORDER DESIGNATING A TRIAL EXAMINER

The Securities and Exchange Commission, finding that the above named offeror has represented by telegraphic communication that no sales were made under the offering sheet

which is the subject of this proceeding and has also requested that the order of suspension be made permanent,

It is ordered, that the order suspending the effectiveness of the filing of the said offering sheet be, and the same is hereby, continued in force; and that the Order for Hearing and Order Designating a Trial Examiner entered in this proceeding on July 20, 1936, be, and the same are hereby, revoked.

By the commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DuBOIS, *Acting Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 1454—Filed, July 28, 1936; 12:59 p. m.]

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 27th day of July A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF BILGRAD OIL COMPANY OFFERING SHEET OF AN OVERRIDING ROYALTY INTEREST IN MATTIE FORNEY LEASE

ORDER TERMINATING PROCEEDING AND ORDER DESIGNATING EFFECTIVE DATE OF AMENDMENTS

The Securities and Exchange Commission, finding that amendments to the offering sheet which is the subject of this proceeding filed with the Commission on the 6th day of July 1936 are so far as necessary in accordance with the order heretofore entered in this proceeding suspending the effectiveness of the said offering sheet;

It is ordered, that the amendments dated July 20, 1936, and received at the office of the Commission on July 22, 1936, to Division II of the said offering sheet be effective as of July 22, 1936; and

It is further ordered, that the Suspension Order, Order for Hearing and Order Designating a Trial Examiner heretofore entered in this proceeding on the 13th day of July 1936 be and the same are hereby revoked and the said proceeding terminated.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 1455—Filed, July 28, 1936; 12:59 p. m.]

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 27th day of July A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF L. H. WITWER OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST IN CONTINENTAL-YOUNG FARM

ORDER DESIGNATING EFFECTIVE DATE OF AMENDMENTS AND ORDER TERMINATING PROCEEDINGS

The Securities and Exchange Commission finding that amendments to the offering sheet which is the subject of this proceeding filed with the said Commission are so far as necessary in accordance with the suspension order previously entered in this proceeding;

It is ordered, that the second amendments dated July 23, 1936, and received at the office of the Commission on July 25, 1936, to Division III of the said offering sheet be effective as of July 23, 1936; and

It is further ordered, that the Suspension Order, Order for Hearing, and Order Designating a Trial Examiner entered in this proceeding on the 8th day of July 1936, be and the same hereby are revoked and the said proceeding terminated.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

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