

gether with right of ingress and egress across the State land in the section for the purpose of operation and maintenance of a beacon light and tower in connection with the Palm Springs Airport. The agreement provided that the United States could release the subject property upon thirty days notice.

The property has now been transferred to the jurisdiction of the War Assets Administration who have requested execution of form of release on the part of the State whereby the lease heretofore granted will be cancelled and title to the beacon light and tower constructed on the State land is transferred to the State.

Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, a resolution was adopted authorizing the Executive Officer to execute the release submitted by the War Assets Administration covering Lease P. R. C. 204 (W-04-Eng-6701) relinquishing to the State the formerly demised premises and improvements thereon.

46. (Cancellation of War Department Use Permit P.R.C. 119) The Commission was informed that on December 10, 1948, the Commission authorized the acceptance of the release of War Department Use Permits P.R.C. 117 and P.R.C. 12 with the understanding that the United States shall have the responsibility of removing from the State lands reported duds or other explosive materials that may be discovered in the future and assume responsibility for any damages which may arise as a result of incomplete dedudding. War Department Use Permit P.R.C. 119 was for war time use of two half sections of land within the boundaries of Permit P.R.C. 12 as was P.R.C. 117.

Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, a resolution was adopted authorizing the Executive Officer to accept a release of War Department Use Permit P.R.C. 119 with the understanding that the United States shall have the responsibility of removing from State lands any and all reported duds or other explosive materials that may be discovered in the future and assume responsibility for any damages or injuries which may arise as a result of incomplete dedudding.

47. (Refund under cancelled Grazing Lease P.R.C. No. 1163 - L. B. DeMoss - Siskiyou County) Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, a resolution was adopted authorizing the Executive Officer to issue a refund certificate to Mr. L. B. DeMoss in the amount of \$28.54 representing the unearned rental under cancelled Grazing Lease P.R.C. 1163 upon surrender of said original grazing lease by Mr. De Moss.

48. (Sale of Vacant Federal Land Obtained thru use of base - Sacramento W.O.150 - Mendocino County - Division of Forestry) The Commission was informed that on November 29, 1948, Mr. DeWitt Nelson, State Forester, advised the Division of Lands that the State Division of Forestry has acquired over 20,000 acres of land for the Jackson State Forest, and requested this office to acquire from the Federal Government the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  and E $\frac{1}{2}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 12, T. 17 N., R. 15 W., M. D. M., containing 120 acres, which adjoins this forest.

Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, a resolution was adopted confirming the filing of an in lieu application with the U. S. Bureau of Land Management and authorize the sale of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  and E $\frac{1}{2}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 12, T. 17 N., R. 15 W., M. D. M., to the Division of Forestry at a price to be agreed upon between said Division and the State Lands Commission when title to said land is acquired from the Federal Government.