

LONG DISTANCE CALL RATES ESTABLISHED

Various Charges are Quoted for Different Kinds of Telephone Calls.

The telephone company has put into effect retroactive to May 21 new regulations governing charges for long distance telephone calls.

These regulations are the same as have been in effect for interstate telephone calls since January 21, but they have not been put in force before because only recently the United States Supreme Court fixed the authority for making telephone rates within the state.

The principal change from the former method of determining long distance telephone rates is that instead of one class of service there are several, each with a different rate. For example, there is one charge for "station to station" calls, when anyone will talk at the telephone called, another when a definite person is desired, another for "appointment" calls, for night calls, and so on.

The basis of all charges on long distance calls under the new regulation is the "station to station" rate. This is determined by the air line distance between towns. The rate is computed for the initial period of conversation on the basis of 5 cents for each six miles up to 24 miles and 5 cents for each eight miles beyond that distance.

The "station to station" rate applies when the calling party does not ask to talk to a particular person at the telephone designated but merely to anyone who answers the telephone. The word "station" as used here means "telephone," the service being a telephone to telephone method. "Station to station" calls must be made either by giving the telephone number wanted or the name and address under which the telephone is listed. If the calling party states that he wishes to talk to a definite person, the "person to person" rate which is higher, is charged.

Charges for "station to station" calls cannot be reversed, that is charged to the telephone called.

The "station to station" service is furnished at a lower rate than other classes of service because it requires less work on the part of the long distance operators than other classes of calls and "ties up" the wires for a shorter period than when a particular party must be summoned to the telephone.

In addition to "station to station" service, a "person to person" rate, an "appointment" rate, a "messenger call" rate and a "report charge" are quoted.

When a toll call is made specifying that conversation is desired with a particular person and the connection is established and conversation held with that person, the "person to person" rate applies.

As this service requires a greater amount of operating effort and holds the wires for a longer period than "station to station" calls because a particular party must be brought to the telephone before a conversation is held, the rate for such calls is about one-fourth greater than the "station to station" rate.

The "appointment" rate, applicable when a definite time is specified to talk to a particular person, is about one-half greater than the "station to station" rate.

The "messenger call" rate, where a messenger is necessary to summon the called person to the telephone, is the same as the "appointment" rate, plus any necessary charges for messenger service.

The "report charge" applies when a "person to person" call, an "appointment" call or a "messenger" call is made and the person desired has not been given and he cannot be reached at a telephone within one hour. However, if the connection is made in the same day the "report charge" is not made. This charge also applies if the calling party is absent when the connection is completed within one hour.

The cost of handling a call where the operator is unable to locate the party called, telephone officials say, is nearly as great as when the person is found and the conversation held. The person placing the call is asked to stand a part of this expense, which is called a "report charge."

The rate for a report charge is about one-fourth the "station to station" rate.

On "station to station" calls, where the rate is 25 cents or less, an initial talking period of 5 minutes is permitted. For longer conversations an additional charge will be made. On "person to person" calls, "appointment" calls and "messenger" calls the initial talking period is 3 minutes.

Night rates apply only to "station to station" calls. Day rates apply at night on other classes of service. The rate for "station to station" calls made between 8:30 p. m. and midnight is about one-half of the "station to station" day rate, and for calls made between midnight and 4:30 a. m. the rate is one-fourth of the "station to station" day rate. The minimum night rate is 25 cents and day rates are charged at night when the day rate is less than this.

The liberal use of a 2 or 3 per cent solution of coal tar disinfectant about the poultry house after cleaning will aid in keeping it sanitary and comfortable for the hens, say University extension poultrymen. The hen is naturally a clean animal and will repay efforts in this direction by producing more eggs. The use of coal tar solution will also control the mite problem. The cracks and crevices of the roosts may be rid of this pest by spraying with a mixture of one part of coal tar disinfectant and four parts of kerosene.

When the women's committee of the State Council gave its surplus

funds to employ a state public health nurse they rendered a distinct service to the people, according to calls for the nurse pouring into the office of the Women's Section of the University Extension Service, under whose auspices the nurse is working. Many of the cities of the State have their own public health nurses, and so the State nurse will give her time largely to the rural districts. She is at the call of any group of women. Her work is in the interest of better health for women and children.

BODY OF ETHEL MOFFET IS FOUND IN CANAL

Mystery Surrounding Disappearance of Girl Solved and Body Found Saturday Morning.

The Scottsbluff Star-Herald, in the following, tells of the discovery of the body of Miss Ethel Moffet, who disappeared from her home near Minatare last Wednesday and whose clothing was found along the bank of the canal by the members of the family when she did not return home at the usual time after herding some cattle during the day:

Following three days of search and anxiety, the remains of Ethel Moffet, were found in the Farmers canal, between five and six miles below the point where she is supposed to have entered the stream. The body was found at about 11 o'clock Saturday forenoon, following the complete shutting off of the water in the canal.

The remains of the girl were brought to this city, and from the McCreary undertaking parlor, a funeral cortege was formed to the West Lawn cemetery north of Minatare, where the funeral services were held and interment made at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The cause of the accident will possibly always remain a mystery. Whether the young lady intended to take a swim in the canal and fell in before all of her clothing was removed; whether she believed that she was fully capable of negotiating the deep water and swift current and was seized with cramps, or whether she attempted to swim her horse across the canal, as she has been known to have done at different times in the past, and was swept off to her death, are some of the theories advanced.

The young woman was born on a farm just northeast of this city, her parents having removed to Scotts Bluff from Banner county, they being old residents of this section. Later they purchased the farm northeast of Minatare, since which they have made that place their home. The sincerest sympathy is extended the bereaved parents in their day of loss and sorrow.

On account of the difficulty of securing not only a sufficient amount of labor but also men who are willing to milk cows, milking machines are becoming popular even in very small herds, since many farmers wish to be independent of hired labor for milking, says a new bulletin of the Extension Service, College of Agriculture, Lincoln, entitled, "Some Factors Affecting the Cost of Milk Production." Just now hundreds of farmers are buying milking machines. The bulletin discusses the various factors entering into the cost of milk in Nebraska. It deals with high and low efficiency cows, hand milking versus machine milking, dairy barns, convenient arrangement, cleanliness, size of herd, breed and size of cows, the value of calves and manure, etc. A copy will be sent upon request.

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