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Residence.....	\$12 00	\$12 00	\$12 00	\$15 00	\$12 00
Party line, residence.....					
Rural	\$15 00	\$12 00 to \$18 00	\$12 00	\$15 00	\$12 00 & \$18 00
Dividends per annum.....					12 per cent.
Interest on bonds.....		8 per cent.			
Depreciation per annum .. .	\$300 00 to \$500 00				
Surplus.....	\$1,900 00				
No. of "Bell" Telephones—					
Before competition.....	15	Connect with Bell system .. .		30	
At this date.....	Nil			10	
Wages paid—					
Foremen.....	\$2 50 per day.	\$72 50 per month..	\$50 00 per month	\$40 to \$60 per month...	
Inspectors and troublemen.....	\$2 50 per day	\$72 50 "		" "	\$30 00 per month.
Wiremen .. .			\$3 50 per week.....		7c. per hour.
Operators.....					
Cost of supplies—					
Central equipment .. .	\$525 00 for 120 lines.....	\$225 00 for 100 lines.			\$475 00 for 150 lines.
Wall telephones.....	\$10 25 to \$12 25	\$12 00 to \$14 00	\$10 00	\$8 50	\$10 00
Poles .. .	75c. to \$1 20, 20 to 25 ft.		\$1 25		60c. to \$7 50.
Long distance pole mileage .. .	15	85	13		
" wire " .. .	30	170	25	200	
Cost per mile, including poles.....					
" wire .. .			\$20 00		
Long distance rates.....	1c. per mile.....	25c.	15c. to 30c.....		
Remarks .. .	See note E. 1, page 806..	See note F. 1, page 806...			