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South-bound-Express Services—
5:30 a. m., 6:15 a. m., then half-hourly, and including 6:45 p. m.; then local service 7:15 p. m., and half-hourly to 10:45 p. m., 11:45.

North-bound-Express Services—
6:05 a. m., 6:55 a. m., 6:05 a. m., 6:20 a. m., 6:35 a. m., 6:50 a. m., 7:05 a. m., 7:20 a. m., and every half hour to 6:55 p. m.

Local Service, half hour, 9:47 p. m. to 10:47 a. m.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN.—In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland in Chancery. At a session of the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland in the Courtroom in the City of Pontiac, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1917, present Honorable George W. Smith, Circuit Judge, and Charles W. Taylor, Esq., Clerk. John McNeil, Mrs. Charles A. Troubridge, whose first given name is unknown, Joseph Chase and Charles W. Talmadge, or their unknown heirs, defendants, against Eugene Brooks, plaintiff in the above entitled cause averring that John McNeil, Mrs. Charles A. Troubridge, whose first given name is unknown, Joseph Chase and Charles W. Talmadge, appear on the records of the office of the Register of Deeds for Oakland County as claiming interest in certain lots of land described in said bill of complaint and hereinafter described, which claim or claim is asserted to be clouds upon the title of said plaintiff to said lands, and appearing after diligent search and inquiry that said plaintiff has no interest in said lands, and that John McNeil, Mrs. Charles A. Troubridge, whose first given name is unknown, Joseph Chase and Charles W. Talmadge, or their unknown heirs, defendants, are and assigns, it is Ordered, that the statute in such case made and provided, that said John McNeil, Mrs. Charles A. Troubridge, wife of Charles A. Troubridge, Joseph Chase and Charles W. Talmadge, or their unknown heirs, legatees and assigns enter their appearance in this case within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed against them. It is further ordered that this order be published in the Birmingham Evening News each week for six successive weekly issues.

GEORGE W. SMITH, Circuit Judge.

FLORENCE B. BARRETT, County Clerk.

THE HILL OF COMPLAINT above referred to is filed in the above entitled cause to clear the title to the following described lands situate in the Village of Birmingham, Township of Birmingham, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, to-wit: Lots Thirty-seven (37), Thirty-eight (38) and Thirty-nine (39), of Merrill's Plat of Lots Thirty-seven (37), Thirty-eight (38) and Thirty-nine (39), of Merrill's Plat of Lots Thirty-seven (37), Thirty-eight (38) and Thirty-nine (39), Township Two (2), North, Range Ten (10), East of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Two (2), North, Range Ten (10), East of.

JOHN J. GAFFLE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Business Address: 519 Ford Building, Detroit, Michigan.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION—Appointment of Administrator.

PHILIP DURAK, Deceased.

Melitta Bebel, a credit of said deceased, having filed in said Court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be given to herself, or to some other suitable person, it is ordered that the 10th day of July, A. D. 1917, at 3:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered that the notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Birmingham Economic, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ELMER P. ROHWELL, Judge of Probate.

JUSTON A. FREEMANBERG, Register of Probate.

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