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ELECTION

On Monday, September 13, the Village polls will be open from 7 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the evening—giving every qualified voter in Birmingham the opportunity to cast his ballot for a choice of Village president and clerk.

Last Spring, at the annual election, a total of 31 persons entered the Town Hall to vote. It was not a successful election—IT LACKED THE PUBLIC INTEREST!

What will Birmingham do next Monday? Two candidates are open for the office of president while one bids for that of clerk. How much better would an elected officer feel if he knew that a majority of Birminghamers were back of him! There are nearly one thousand qualified voters in Birmingham—how many will feel it their civic duty to attend this election? Every man and woman who has the interest of his or her community at heart will be there.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the Probate Court for the county of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Pontiac, in said County, on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1929.
Present, Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Belle Lewis, deceased.
Alfred E. Lewis, executor of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, assignment of the residue of said estate and the discharge of said executor.

It is ordered, that the 27th day of September, A. D. 1929, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public 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 Eclectic, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ROSS STOCKWELL,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
DAN A. MCGAFFEY,
Probate Register. Sept. 17

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Ezra Bristol, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, determination of the residue of said estate and discharge of said administrator.

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DETROIT UNITED LINES

BIRMINGHAM TIME TABLE.
In effect Nov. 3, 1919
Eastern Standard Time.

South-bound—Limited—6:55 a. m.
South-bound—4:0 a. m., 5:29 a. m., 5:42 a. m., 6:49 a. m., 7:00 a. m., 7:15 a. m., and every 30 minutes to 12:45 p. m., 4:10 p. m., 4:15 p. m., 4:40 p. m., 4:45 p. m., 5:15 p. m., 5:45 p. m., 6:20 p. m., and every 30 minutes to 10:30 p. m., also 11:30 p. m.

North-bound—7:18 a. m., and every 30 minutes to 8:18 p. m., also 8:58 p. m., and every 30 minutes to 12:28 a. m.

Locals, Birmingham to Pontiac only 6 a. m., 6:22 a. m., 8:52 a. m.

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In the passing of a decade, almost, Michigan, by a phenomenal growth, has leaped from comparative industrial obscurity to a commanding place among the commercial centers of the nation.

Hand in hand with this expansion, has grown the demand for telephone service in Michigan. Some idea of the problems confronting the Michigan State Telephone Company as the result of this advance in industry and population may be gained from consideration of these facts:

In 1910 the state had a population of 2,810,000, served by 143,300 of our telephones, or one for every 19 1/2 persons.

In 1920, it is estimated from the available census returns, the population is 3,210,000, a growth of approximately 400,000, and is served by 292,851 of our telephones, meaning one for each 11 persons.

Therefore, while the population has grown 14.2 per cent, the number of telephones has grown 104.3 per cent. The company has, in the face of war conditions, material and labor shortage and skyrocketing costs, more than kept pace with Michigan's growth.

It has been necessary, in order to meet the myriad problems confronting the telephone service, for the company to make surveys and estimates, years in advance, of the volume and direction of population and industrial growth in order to intelligently build to meet it. All this company's resources and efforts have been used to meet Michigan's requirements, as indicated in these surveys.

Had the 14.2 per cent increase in population been evenly distributed the problem would have been simplified, but this growth has been greater at some points than at others. There have been times, therefore, when the surveys did not compare with requirements and times when the engineer's estimates could not be met.

But the telephone people, facing these and many other obstacles, carried on and are still carrying on, determined that their future efforts shall exceed even those of the past.

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