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Station Installation
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LEASED LINES FOR HOLMES ELECTRIC PROTECTIVE COMPANY

1. GENERAL

1.01 This section covers the installation and maintenance
of leased lines for the Holmes Electric Protective
Company.

1.02 Circuits are provided for the Holmes Company to be
used for furnishing electric protective services
consisting of burglar alarm, central station emergency
alarm, watch signal, elevator call button and supervisory
services in connection with water leakage and thermostatic
temperature control.

1.03 No work of any kind shall be performed by any Plant
Force on any existing circuit without first getting a
"GO AHEAD" from a deskman of the controlling Repair Service
Bureau.

2. INSTALLATION

2.01 No installation work shall be performed on these
circuits unless authorized by a service order.

2.02 Installers shall notify the local Repair Service
Bureau before starting work and shall obtain an "OK"
test immediately after completing work on these circuits.
The local Repair Service Bureau will deal with the controlling bureau for the "GO AHEAD".

2.03 Service orders for Holmes Company leased lines will
bear the abbreviation "1 LL PC" (leased line private
contract) or "1 BLL PC" (bridged leased line private contract) in the SE&R space. Circuit numbers will be prefixed
"H" or "HM".

2.04 A pair of wires will be required for each leased line
as follows:

   (a) Extend the circuit by the use of pair wire from
   the feeder, house or PL terminal nearest to the
   Holmes Company's customer to the point designated
   by the Holmes Company as the point of connection
   to its facilities. This location will be noted
   on the service order and will be designated on the
   customer's premises by a red sticker bearing the
   notation "Holmes Instrument Location".

   (b) Terminate the pair wire on a 42A connecting block
   and tag the block giving the circuit number.

2.05 Temporary service will be provided when a Telephone
Company customer applies for the temporary suspension
of telephone service and contracts with the Holmes Company
for burglar alarm protection during the period the house is
closed.

   (a) Connection

      The service order for the connection of
   the Holmes' line will bear the following notation
   in the remarks space: "Reuse (telephone number
   of patron's service) Do Not Remove Instruments,
   Service TS". Before proceeding call the deskman
   for a "GO AHEAD". The conductors for the exchange
   line shall be reused for the Holmes' line. The
   instrument(s) shall be left in place and the
   circuit opened at a convenient point (entrance,
   bridging block, instrument, etc.). The central
   office circuit shall then be extended by means
   of temporary wiring to the point designated by
   the Holmes' representative and terminated on a 42A
   connecting block. Tag the block giving the circuit
   number. An OK test shall be obtained from the
   deskman in the usual manner for leased lines and
   the deskman shall be advised of the location at
   which the exchange circuit was opened.

   (b) Disconnection

      The service order for the disconnection of
   the Holmes' line will bear the following notation
   in the remarks space:

"Reconnect Instruments and RST (telephone number of patron's service)". Before proceeding call the deskman for a "GO AHEAD". The conductors for the Holmes' line shall be reused for the exchange line. All temporary wiring shall be removed, the circuit shall be closed through to the instrument(s) and the telephone service restored. An OK test shall be obtained from the deskman.

(NOTE: Time and Material for the connection or disconnection of these temporary Holmes' circuits shall be charged to account code 8-C or 8-X as appropriate. Incidental time involved ^ r the suspension or restoration of exchange service shall be included in the above codes).

3. MAINTENANCE

3.01 The maintenance of these circuits is extended to include the wire installed by the Telephone Company and the 42A connecting block at the Holmes' apparatus location. Troubles will be handled without delay but no work shall be done on Holmes' equipment or the inside wire between the connecting block and the Holmes' apparatus.