

How to Place Long Distance Calls



When You Call Folks in Other Towns *In Most Cases Your Calls Go Through While You Hold the Line*

STATION-TO-STATION CALLS

When you will talk with anyone who answers at an individual line or party-line telephone or private switchboard.

CALLS TO NEARBY POINTS HANDLED BY YOUR LOCAL OPERATOR

When the name of the city is preceded by a star (*) in the list of rates on the inside cover of this Telephone Directory, place the call with your local operator by telephone number.

FOR EXAMPLE: "Sacramento, 3-0641." If you do not know the telephone number, consult the directory or call "Information."

CALLS TO OTHER CITIES ARE PLACED BY CALLING LONG DISTANCE OR DIALING OPERATOR

Then tell the Operator the city or town you want; the out-of-town telephone number, if you have it, or the name under which it is listed.

FOR EXAMPLE: "Bakersfield 1233." Or if you do not know the telephone number: "Bakersfield, anyone at Mr. John Doe's Residence, 34 Blank Street."

PERSON-TO-PERSON CALLS

When you want to reach a particular person, or a particular extension telephone or department connected through a private switchboard.

CALL LONG DISTANCE OR DIAL OPERATOR

Then tell the Operator the city or town you want; the out-of-town telephone number, if you have it, or the name under which it is listed, and the name of the person you want.

FOR EXAMPLE: "Bakersfield 1233, Mr. Brown." Or if you do not know the telephone number: "Bakersfield, John Brown at his residence, 1234 Highland Blvd."

Unless otherwise advised by the Operator, after placing your call please wait on the line until the called party answers or the Operator gives you a report. It will help to speed your call.

Long Distance Telephone Services



APPOINTMENT CALLS

An Appointment Call is one on which you wish arrangements made in advance with the called station or person to talk at a specified time. Person-to-Person rates apply to such calls.

MESSENGER CALLS

A Messenger Call is a call for a particular person requiring a messenger to bring the desired person to a telephone. Person-to-Person rates apply. The charge for the messenger is in addition to the Telephone Company's message charge and applies even if the desired conversation is not held.

COLLECT CALLS

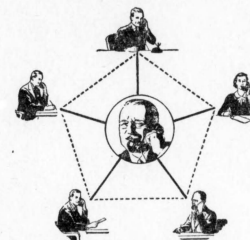
Upon request, the charges on calls to most points within the Continental United States, and to Canada, Cuba, Hawaii and Puerto Rico may be collected at the called station as follows: Station-to-Station Calls—At the Station-to-Station rate, when the initial period rate is 25c or more, provided anyone answering at the called station accepts the charge. When the initial period rate is 20c, a special collect rate of 25c applies. If the initial period rate is less than 20c, the corresponding Person-to-Person classification and rate applies provided this service is available.

Person-to-Person, Appointment, and Messenger Calls—At regular rates applying to these calls, provided the called party accepts the charge.

TRANSIENT CALL SERVICE

This service enables a home office to locate its traveling representatives by telephone. The representative registers with the long distance chief operator in each city he visits. He tells her where he can be reached. When his home office or family want him, they just tell Long Distance they want to place a "transient service" call for him, naming the place or places at which he may be reached.

CONFERENCE TELEPHONE SERVICE



This service makes it possible for persons miles apart to talk things over as if they were face to face. Every one can hear and be heard. As many as six telephones—more by special arrangement—may be included in one call.

To place such a call, please ask Long Distance for the Conference Operator.



OBTAINING CHARGES

If you wish to obtain the charge at the conclusion of a Long Distance call, ask the operator to "quote charges" immediately after you have given the called number information.

SHIP TELEPHONE SERVICE

This service provides two-way telephone communication between telephones on land and a ship equipped for radiotelephony, or between ships. The service is carried on by means of the telephone company's land radiotelephone stations.

Ship telephone service has been provided to meet the requirements of ocean going vessels as well as coastal and harbor craft (such as yachts, fishing boats, tugs, etc.) when within range of the telephone company's land radiotelephone station. It is available 24 hours a day.

The radiotelephone stations are connected by land wire facilities to the Long Distance switchboards. Here the telephone operators establish connections for calls between boats and telephones in the local service areas or in other cities.

To make a call from a land telephone, call "Long Distance" and tell the operator you wish to place a call for a boat, giving her the name of the boat desired and its approximate location. Then proceed as directed.

DAY, NIGHT AND SUNDAY RATES

Day rates for long distance telephone service are in effect from 4:30 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. except Sundays. Night rates are in effect from 7:00 P.M. to 4:30 A.M. and Sunday rates all day Sundays. The time prevailing at the calling point when connection is established governs the application of Day, Night and Sunday rates.

