

**A Happy New Year**

**for**

*Kathryn*



*Dear Warner:  
You can toss away  
the memorandum of that other  
phone number now as we have  
one of our own! And if you  
don't think I feel swell about  
it, you're not the smart brother  
I think you are. I get a  
kick every time I pass that  
telephone in the living room.*

*Kathryn*

*The number is Exchange 2376.*

**T**HAT's a real letter—written by a real Kathryn—to her brother. You can read her happiness in every line. She's mighty glad to have the telephone back.

And so are a great many other men and women these days. About 850,000 new telephones have been installed in the past year.

That means more than just having a telephone within reach. It means keeping the family circle unbroken—contacts with people—gaiety, solace, friendship. It means greater comfort, security; quick aid in emergency.

Whether it be the grand house on the hill or the cottage in the valley, there's more happiness for everybody when there's a telephone in the home.

The Bell System employs more men and women than any other business organization in the United States. The total is now close to 300,000. Good business for the telephone company is a sign of good business throughout the country.

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