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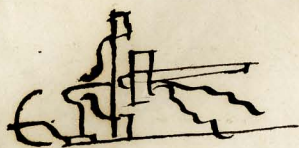
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Mr. F. L. Pope

Dear Sir - I send a way
of approach to your address my
new call for the telephone. It is
to be screwed to the floor of the tel-
ephone in front and so moved
that the crook wire shall rest upon
the face of the vibrating plate thus -



of course the telephone should
be fixed level thro' that
is not very material so

the wooden fixture can be swung round
so as to give various inclinations to
the wire finger. A single thump or a
loud call into the instrument above
and will make it to fail. It never
misses when properly adjusted.

Instead of the bell as fixed there
may be a bell and clock work

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like alarm which shall be
set off when the finger falls and
sounding a bell any given number
of times.

Please to let me know
whether or no you receive it
and if it be not worthy of
a patent.

Yours truly

A. E. Dolbear