

Do you believe in THRIFT?

"I'm a regular Scotsman for thrift. I never throw away anything I can use again.

"Every year I salvage millions and millions of pounds of metal from what you might call junk.

"I collect all the old telephone equipment, wire and cable no longer useful to the Bell System . . . and all the machine scrap, turnings and rejected parts from the factories where I make Bell Telephone equipment.

"I turn this scrap metal into bars and billets of refined metals and alloys out of which I make new telephone equipment.

"I salvage rubber, textiles and paper, too...and anything I can't use again, I sell. Nothing is wasted.

"My thriftiness, as supply unit of the Bell System, is one reason why you get telephone service . . . the world's best . . . at the lowest possible cost.

"Remember my name. It's Western Electric."

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of 43,000 varieties of telephone apparatus.

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ofsuppliesofallkindsfor telephone companies.

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