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Through our membership in these various associations, we keep track of several schedules and policies of other papers. The most recent recommendation that has come to Dolph is having been one of the two men nominated to fill a certain place on the directorate of the Associated Press.

The other candidate is a son of Senator Byrd of Virginia who bears his father's name. No campaigning is presumed to be done by either party, but under the circumstances Byrd might quite likely be selected on account of the favorable publicity that has been given his father.

If you want a little advice from me it is this. You and Mac are only going to live once. Just how long your lives will be, no one knows. You have been a good manager and Mac has been successful financially and otherwise, and I would recommend to you that you spend the money to take any trips or to go to any places to which you would like to go. Furthermore, in the past Gertrude and I took a good many trips, but it is my knowledge and belief that all of these trips were taken at my expense. As you may recall, for a time I was a member of the Audit Bureau of Circulations, and as such, had a part in bring Lloyd George to Chicago.

The paper being smaller and on its way up during the years when I was active, I do not recall making any trips at the invitation and expense of others. You and Mac are in the same position that Gertie and I were in, and as I look back, I am very happy that Gertrude and I had so many good times and so much happiness together.

You have two fine children and you are equipping them to take their places in the world. Maybe it would be best for them if they had to do part of the work themselves and at their own expense, rather than having you to provide too generously for them.

You are doing splendidly by them in giving them a university education. They are both fine young folk and I enjoy having them with me and I feel sure that they feel very much at home at the old homestead. They come when they please and are always welcome.

Lots of love,