

Question 1

To answer this question, find each event in the passage. Then read several lines after each event to determine what its effect was.

1. Listed below are four events from "The Life of Thomas A. Edison" and four effects of these events. Match each event with its resulting effect.

Event

Edison resigns his job at Western Union.

Edison forms Pope, Edison and Co.

Edison forms American Telegraph Works.

Edison sells patent rights to Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Co.

Effect

Edison improves the telegraph in several ways.

Edison becomes involved in a lawsuit about one of his inventions.

Edison is able to focus on inventing.

Edison creates a new kind of telegraph.