IF I COULD INVENT SOMETHING NEW

Inventions in our world today has been greatly enabled by the advancements recorded in the world of science and technology. Invention can only come about when scientific laws are applied in an innovative way in order to create something new. According to Merriam Webster New College Dictionary [ninth edition], to invent means the production of something useful as a result of ingenious thinking and experiment. Also, Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary [ tenth edition] defined invention as the technical way of creating or producing something that is entirely new to exist.

All over the world, there are many inventions that have made life easier for man and solved many human problems. This is a product of the innovative and creative approaches applied by famous scientists like Alexander Graham Bell [telephone], Karl Benz [cars], Gugliemo Marconi [radio], Philo Taylor-Fransworth [television] and many others. I find the aforementioned inventors highly inspirational and I hope to be like them someday by creating things that will solve some of the daunting challenges facing the world today.

Invention are meant to solve human problems. If I were to invent something new, I would invent a telecommunication device that can translate voice signals to gestures for the deaf. Deafness is a physical disability that has hindered those who are faced with the challenge in many ways. So many of them are restricted to special schools for the disabled and find it challenging to interact freely with their family and friends, without the help of a standby human interpreter.

This voice translator will enable them to converse freely without depending on any human interpreter. All they have to do is to have this mobile device with them. it could be in the form of a phone or a wristwatch, but it will have a screen that can show the gestural translation of the voice signals. The good part of this device is that it will be solar powered. They will not need to worry about charging it with electricity.

What this means is that the deaf can attend any school that they want. They can attend the same school that their fellow children attend. There will be no more restriction to the places that they go to or any worry about their ability to hear sounds, as my invention will ensure that they can easily interact with their loved ones and attend any social function that they want to attend.

This great invention can go a long way in helping the deaf and ease humans the stress of demonstrating through gestures for the deaf. This will mark a notable impact in the world, and generations to come will benefit immensely from it.

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