

FLASHES OF COMING EVENTS

Wireless Electric Light Next Development on the Card.

WHAT ELECTRICIANS ARE DOING

New York Scientists Are Confident That Marconi is Leading to a World Without Wires.

Engineers do not in the least doubt Marconi's "wireless" from Italy that "the problem of wireless (or radio) telephony has been practically solved."

The Approaching Excitements.

"When the great truth, accidentally revealed and experimentally confirmed, is fully recognized that this planet, with its appalling immensity, is to electrically unite virtually no more than a small metal ball, and that by virtue of this fact many possibilities, each baffling imagination and of incalculable consequence, are rendered absolutely sure of accomplishment."

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"Wireless telephony is here—but how stupid the wire phone and telegraph people are about it! And why all this talk of government ownership of present telephony and telegraph when government could be promoting wireless experimentation and development?"

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"Marconi's announcement is that he made the voice carry only forty-five miles; but that he signalled 300 to 1,700 miles. Don't confound 'aerophony' with radio-telephony."

wireless phone is that the thing to be conquered is not distance—not the space between the talker and the listener—but details in the transmission mechanism.

Dr. Poulsen in Germany has established wireless phoning between given points by a series of microphones, and Prof. Pederson has worked out the theories so that it is possible to apply them in practice.

Delay for "Commercial Demand." At the Marconi American office no details have been received of the demonstrations on the duke of Abruzzi's flagship Regina Elena off Sicily, Marconi is on his way to the London offices with his reports.

MAKING CEMENT WATERTIGHT

Interesting Experiments of Great Importance to Contractors and Engineers.

Extensive experiments are being conducted at the college of engineering of the University of Wisconsin to find a simpler means of making concrete watertight.

Already some interesting results have been obtained in the effect of the length of the time of mixing in a machine mixer of the batch type; the effect of the percentage of mixing upon the amount of having sand in dry condition before mixing and the effect of having the sand wet.

The experiments have found that good results are obtained if the concrete remains in the mixer from two to three minutes when dry materials are employed.

The importance of these experiments will be more sufficiently appreciated when it is understood that a large proportion of the trouble arising from poor concrete is due to the use of defective sand or gravel.

brewer's drayman, weighed at his death 488 pounds, twenty-eight pounds heavier than his twin brother, whose 420 pounds was equalled if not topped, by their two sisters.

For loftiness of stature the family of Hassan Ali, who some while since was on exhibition in this country, would be hard to beat.

One of the most notable by-throwings of the family, stood eight feet eleven inches, seven inches more than his father, whose height was eight feet four inches.

The youngest son, Ezekiel, enlisted as a Grenadier in 1713, and was wounded twenty-three times.

GOO-GOO MUSIC'S MERRY SIDE

Operatic Jingles and Nursery Lingo as It Looks Translated.

"My dear," said the young father, "there is one request I want to make to you."

"I wish, dear, that you wouldn't talk this baby talk to our child. It's absurd. The idea of saying 'kitchy-kitchy-kee' and 'whose wis-icious is oo' to a human being is little less than barbarous."

FINGER PRINTS A SURE TEST

Baltimore Chemist Pronounces Lines on Cuticle Practically Infallible.

"The finger-print test is practically infallible." This is what Dr. Charles Glaser, analytical chemist, said recently when asked to comment on a dispatch from New York to the effect that a notorious criminal had discovered a way to eradicate the whorls and loops on his digits, making it difficult to bring out the characteristics necessary in the finger-print identification.

York. In an effort to identify him the police took an impression of his finger tips. They were found as smooth as paper, and the infallibility of the finger-print system was in doubt.

marks were only faint. They were puzzled to know what means had been used to destroy the characteristics.

Dr. Glaser explained that a criminal might eradicate the whorls and loops very easily by means of lye.

"I imagine an application of lye, without at all mutilating the finger tips

would take off the top layer of cuticle. To the naked eye, then, the lines would be indistinct. Through a magnifier, however, they would be visible, more particularly on the impression taken.

There are seven layers of cuticle on the finger tips. A man might remove one or two or even three of these. The

more removed, of course, the less possible of detection are the lines. By some process or other, though, the lines could be brought out. The finger-print test is hard to beat.—Baltimore Sun.

Key to the Situation—Bee Advertising. No reason for the trouble could be learned.

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