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A new instance of the use of wireless electric impulse for lighting, and a very striking one, is the lighting of a building in the Omaha Electrical Exposition from a wireless station six miles distant.

A Mexican plant recently regarded as worthless is now selling at \$100 a ton, being used as a source of supply for the manufacture of rubber.

The birth of an heiress to the throne of Holland, on the last day of April, was an event of great importance in the Netherlands. Had the queen died without issue, a German prince would have succeeded to the throne. This would not necessarily have made Holland a part of the German Empire; but it was feared that the independence of the Netherlands would have been less secure than it is at present.

The ultra-violet rays of a powerful mercury-vapour lamp may be used for sterilizing a city's water supply; and milk may be sterilized by the same means without injury.

All the oversea dominions have accepted invitations to send delegates to the defence conference in London.

An airship destroyer has been patented in Japan.

Disposing of Waste Paper.

I had had more trouble than usual in keeping waste paper and lead pencil shavings off the floor.

I made a little sack of bright coloured silkoline, and fastened to the edge of my desk for my own use. The power of example is great, and before long many of the pupils had one of their own.

These sacks of various sizes and colours make a pleasing addition to the desk, and are a great help in promoting neatness.

Directions for making.—Take two twelve-inch squares, cut out a round circle from the centre of one of them. Sew the two together all around the edges on the wrong side and turn, stitch across each corner, and wire the edge of the opening. Sew on a ribbon or cord, by which to hang it to the edge of the desk.—*Primary Education.*

'Tis June—the merry, smiling June—

'Tis blushing summer now. —*Eliza Cook.*