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Electric Music.—Announcement is again made that within a short time the long-promised electrical musical instrument, the telharmonic, is to be in full operation in New York. This is an instrument for the transmission of music from a central keyboard to the homes, hotels, restaurants and public places of a city.

At a cost of more than \$50,000 the central musical "plant" has been established at a convenient point in Manhattan. The instrument is virtually perfected, and in a short time it is expected the company will be ready to offer its musical wares to the public. At no great cost the householder, flat dweller or restaurant proprietor may have a telharmonic installed, connected by wire with the central instrument or instruments, and by simply pushing a button will be able to turn on the music. The instrument that will be placed in the homes is a small affair, and can easily be hidden by a grouping of flowers or potted plants. Four grades of music will be available—

grand opera, pipe organ, orchestral or piano.

Tests thus far made show that the rich tones of the central instrument are preserved in transmission, and there is no marring of the music by the rasping sound of the phonograph. The inventor of the telharmonic and the capitalists who are backing him are confident that the instrument will not only have connections with thousands of homes, but will soon be used almost universally by the restaurant-keepers.—The Keystone.