by using very dilute solutions of the sulphur blacks, in this instance dispensing with the jigger and using an ordinary vessel which should be started at, say, 100 deg. F. and raised slowly to the boil.

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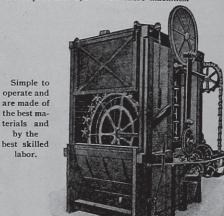
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Fig. 3

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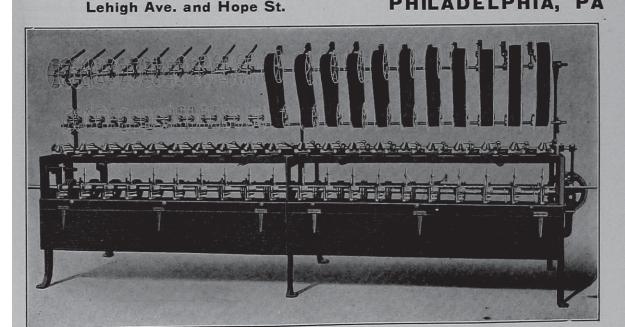
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the new device the accompanying three illustrations are given and of which Fig. 1 is a diagrammatic perspective view of said devices; Fig. 2 is a plan of Fig. 1; and Fig. 3 is a diagrammatic cross section.

Referring to the illustrations, a are the heating bars, composed of comparatively infusible metal, such as nickel or its alloys, these bars being connected by the extension b, disposed to pass through electro-magnetic core c, another portion of which is wound with the primary coil d, connected with source of electrical energy n; the said bars a thus constitute part of the secondary circuit of the transformer. e is a movable electro-conducting member contacting with each of said bars to complete the secondary circuit. f is a spring, disposed to exert tension upon the bars and maintain their rectilinearity during contraction and expansion due to variations in temperature.

It will be observed that those portions a' of the secondary circuit, more proximately disposed relatively to the core, are of considerably greater cross section than those parts constituting the singeing bars a, whereby, owing to their resulting increased resistance, the latter can be raised to the required high temperatures without unduly heating the primary circuit.

Fig. 3 illustrates the bars a surrounded in part by refractory material r whereby loss of heat by radiation is diminished.

An important feature of the new device is the connecting bridge or movable conducting member *e*, which enables us to limit the heated extent of said bars.

It will be observed that those portions a' of the moved over the bars in contact with the latter, whereby considerable heat is withdrawn from the bars and their temperature, at the portions so contacted, kept down sufficiently to prevent unduly burning the fabric.

Those portions of the bars located outside of said zone of contact by the fabric, retain much higher temperatures than those parts so contacted, with the result that, except for said movable member, the selvages of the fabric would be likely to be undesirably burned, as the fabric sways slightly in its passage, by contact with the outlying undesirably heated portions of the bars. By imparting movability to the said bridge *e*, we are enabled to regulate the length of the heated portions of the bars to suit the varying widths of fabric singed, whereby the previously referred to difficulty is obviated.

The required movable support is imparted to the bridge e by providing it with lateral flanges m, adapted to be received, and slide in grooves i on the inner sides of bars a, thus permitting bridge e to be pushed manually by the operator to the exact position required. To facilitate such manual operation, a handle h is annexed to said bridge e.

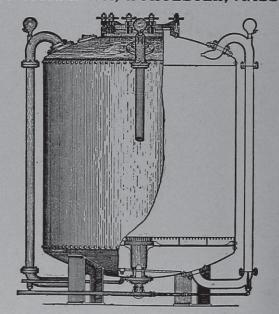
THE OPERATION OF THE DEVICE.

The movable member of conducting bridge e being moved, adjusted and left in place to correspond with the width of the particular fabric to be treated and the current turned on, the fabric is reeled rapidly over in contact with the bars, as diagrammatically illustrated in Fig. 3, the reels being indicated by the dotted circles e and the fabric by these and the straight dotted lines e.

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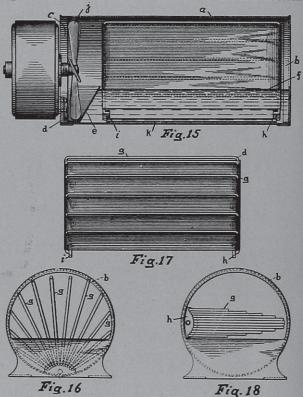
The opposite end of the casing is provided with a flanged ring c, having a base similar in shape to that of b, and an arm d, to which is bolted a motor, operating a fan which forces air through the casing.

A **D**-shaped partition e spans the end of the casing inside of the fan, forming, with the solid part of the head b, a water reservoir, which is normally filled with water to the point shown by the water line f in Fig. 15.

The frame carrying the wetted surfaces is made of lengths of bent wire g pivotally connected to each other so that they may be folded for introduction into the casing, or removal therefrom. Two small castings h and i, connected by rod or tube k, are provided with a number of holes into which the ends of the bent wires are introduced, as shown in Fig. 15 and 16. These wires are made in pairs, the two wires of each being of the same size, and the pairs being of graded sizes, decreasing in size from the centre out-

ward. The outer pairs are thus adapted to rest against the sides of the casing when the frame is expanded, as shown in Fig. 16.

When the frame is to be introduced into the casing, it is covered with cloth or other fibrous material



suitable for absorbing and retaining moisture, folded as shown in Fig. 18, and passed through the open end of shell.

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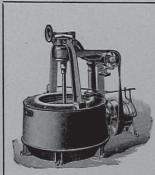
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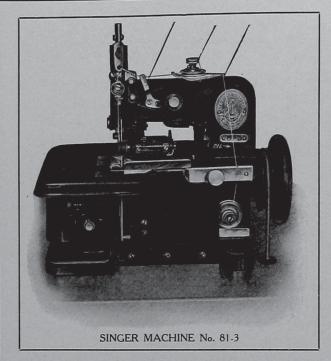
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A solution of five per cent of nitro-cellulose is the usual strength and is applied to the fabric by sprinkling, evaporation then being very evident.

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Another system is that suggested by Dr. During. This is based on the principle of the application of albumen.

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Patterns have been shown abroad of fabrics printed by a lithographic process, whereby several colors are transferred to the cloth at once from a rubber-coated roller. It is reported that a spinning-machinery firm is constructing a machine of full size. The samples are evidence at least that cloths of all thicknesses can be equally treated, and apparently the initial cost for design is less than that for the rollers. Veilings, cushion squares, and other small articles have been printed upon an experimental machine.

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MILL NEWS.

Philadelphia. The Lehigh Silk Finishing Works, 3rd and Huntingdon streets, and of which Frank Oeser is supt., has installed the necessary machinery for finishing and moiréing silk goods.

Philadelphia. T. E. Kremer & Co., manufacturers of underwear, are operating their entire plant on a full time schedule and report that they have enough orders on hand to keep them well employed until October.

Philadelphia. Wolstenholme & Clarke, spinners of worsted yarns, have discontinued their plant at Baker and Mallory streets, Manayunk, and combined the same with their large plant at Twenty-fifth street and Allegheny average.

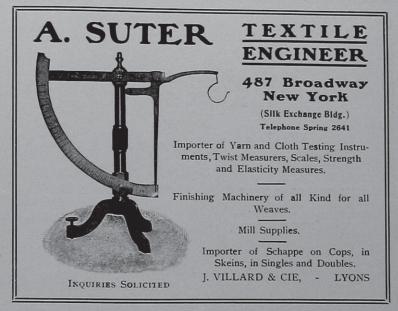
Philadelphia. Henry Holmes & Sons, nanufacturers of ingrain carpets and art squares, Trenton avenue and William streets, are running their mills night and day.

Philadelphia. Herbert B. Newton, manufacturer of upholstery fabrics, is operating his plant on a full time schedule.

Philadelphia. The Wick Narrow Fabric Co., by reason of the growth in business of all departments, has leased quarters in the new building, 931-937 Market street, which will give them twice the amount of space now occupied.

Philadelphia. The Fern Rock Woolen Mills are operating a number of their looms on voile dress goods.

Philadelphia. The Notaseme Hosiery Co. report all their plant running on a full time schedule, and that their business is rapidly increasing.



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Philadelphia. Mark D. Ring & Co., manufacturers of yarns for the sweater and underwear trade, are very busy.

Philadelphia. Hall-Taylor Co., Inc., manufacturers of cotton worsteds, have resumed operations in both plants, after having been idle for several months.

Philadelphia. The three-story dye works of Andrew Burton Co., Penn street and Bellefield avenue, was partly destroyed by fire causing a loss of \$3,500.

Philadelphia. The Continental Dye Works, dyers of cotton and woolen yarns, knit goods and hosiery, Thompson St., have bought buildings adjoining their property, to provide more space for machinery.

Philadelphia. The Dresden Carpet Co, will occupy the mill recently erected at Richmond and Pacific Streets. The firm consists of James G. Speck, E. C. Read, Sr., and E. C. Read, Jr., the last two are connected with the firm of E. C. Read & Son, carpet manufacturers, 2720 North Hope Street.

Philadelphia. F. P. Woll, manufacturer of curled hair, etc., has awarded contract for the erection of a two-story factory, 50 by 139 feet, with wings 50 by 58 and 56 by 40 feet, at Church and Tacony Streets; to cost \$250,000.

Philadelphia. Joseph Greer has awarded contract for the erection of a two story mill building, 50 by 230 feet, at the southeast corner of Church and Tacony Streets, to cost \$224,000.

Altoona, Pa. It is reported that Schwarzenbach, Huber & Co., who operate a large silk mill here, have started the erection of their new mill at Juniata, which is expected to be completed and ready for operation by November 1st. They are also making a number of improvements in their mills here, at a cost of about \$10,000.

Harrisburg, Pa. The Scharadin Mfg. Co. will move from 1819 Penn street into their new building on Third street; they expect to install some additional machines.

Lenni Mills, Pa. George Brown's Sons, manufacturers of cotton and woolen goods, are erecting a 50 by 90 feet brick addition to their dyehouse.

Middletown, Pa. The Middletown Silk Co. has been incorporated with a capital of \$100,000, by G. Walker, Jr. of this place and J. S. Mack and L. E. Schimpff of Allentown.

New Cumberland, Pa. The Susquehanna Woolen Co., which has been us-

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MILL NEWS—(Continued)

ing steam power for twenty-two years, will install an electric generator for motive power as well as illumination.

Norristown, Pa. The George W. Watt Woolen Co. has installed a new set of 48-inch cards.

Oley, Pa. It is reported that the Oley Knitting Mills, of which B. A. Eberhart is superintendent, have sufficient business on hand to enable them to operate their entire plant on a full time basis for some months.

Orwigsburg, Pa. Mr. Heisler, formerly of Moyer & Heisler, knit goods manufacturers, has bought out the McWilliams Bros., manufacturers of women's and misses' cotton ribbed underwear. It is reported that Mr. Heisler will install additional machines.

Reading, Pa. The Nolde & Horst Co., hosiery manufacturers, employing 1,600 operatives, report that they have a number of orders on hand and look forward to steady operations for some time.

Schuylkill Haven, Pa. D. D. Coldren, manufacturer of knit goods, underwear, etc., reports that he is well booked with orders for the next season. He is making extensive improvements to his plant.

Scranton, Pa. William H. Kilfour, superintendent of the Ashley Silk Millhas purchased a plot of ground, 300 by 150 feet, which may be used for another silk mill.

Scranton, Pa. The W. A. Lush Silk Mill will build a three story addition, to cost \$7,000. This will enable them to double their present output.

Scranton, Pa. The Alhamola Silk Co. has been incorporated with a capital of \$25,000.

Sinking Springs, Pa. John K. Savage and Lewis W. Gring, of this place, will operate the Sinking Springs Knitting Mills, which is now nearing completion.

South Bethlehem, Pa. The new throwing plant of the Wyandotte Silk Co. is expected to be in operation the latter part of August. The plant is two stories in height, 50 by 100 feet, and is modern in every respect.

Swarthmore, Pa. It is rumored that the Victoria Plush Mills intend, in the near future, to build an addition to their mill at West Branch.

Woolrich, Pa. John Rich & Bros., manufacturers of hosiery, are installing machinery in their new addition.

Alpha, N. J. The Alpha Silk Co. will be organized shortly. John Ramsay & Sons, of Phillipsburg, are backing the enterprise. They will erect a building 55 by 200 feet.

Jersey City, N. J. Milfred Wortham of Washington, Jos. Thomas of Newark and Peter F. Gleason of New York, have incorporated "The Louvre," capital \$10,000, for the manufacture of gloves, hosiery and underwear. The company will have its office at 15 Exchange place.

Mount Holly, N. J. Royle & Pilkington, manufacturers of upholstery goods, report that they are very busy and have installed additional beaming machinery.

Paterson. C. Fiory & Co., printers of silk and cotton skeins for broad silk, etc., of 71 Butler Str., are considering the erection of a new mill to take care of the increased demand for their work. They make a specialt of printing in black and white.

Waldwick, N. J. Bernard Semel and others have incorporated the Lancashire Bleaching and Finishing Co., capital \$100,000, to bleach, print, dye and finish cotton piece goods.

Albany, N. Y. The Albany Felt Co., manufacturer of paper makers' all wool felts, are operating on a full time schedule.

Brooklyn, N. Y. Otto Rudolph, manufacturer of woolen knit goods, located at 540 Palmetto street, Ridgewood Heights, suffered a loss of \$2,000 by fire.

Canisteo, N. Y. The Canisteo Silk Co. report that they are working on day and night schedule.

Clark Mills, N. Y. The Hind & Harrison Plush Co., P. W. Copeland, treas., manufacturers of silk and mohair plushes, also cotton velours and cotton yarn, are to erect a two-story building, 200 feet long.

Falconer, N. Y. The Chautauqua Guarantee Hosiery Co., of which Andrew E. Williams is mgr., is installing additional machinery, which when in operation will give employment to 30 operatives.

Fulton, N. Y. The plant of the American Woolen Co. is again in operation, having received a number of large orders.

Glenham, N. Y. The Groveville Carpet Mills have been sold to the Crossleys, the prominent firm of English carpet manufacturers, and the plant, which has been idle for years, will soon start running again.

New York. The Giant Knitting Mills have moved from 110 Grand St. to 467 Broadway; this will give them a chance to double their present floor space.

New York. Sam Lippman, 135 Monroe street; Morris Lippman, Louis Parisir, 460 Grand street, of this city, have incorporated as the Orchard Hosiery and Underwear Co., capital \$10,000.

New York. The plant of Max Meyer & Sons, manufacturers of sweaters, have moved to 569-571 Broadway, corner Prince street, where they have larger quarters.

New York. The Tremont Mills, Julius Jasper, vice-pres. and supt., manufacturing narrow silk ribbons, will build a \$50,000 mill, 56 by 136 feet, four stories, on the southeast corner of Ittner place and Webster avenue.

New York Mills, N. Y. The New York Mills is building a two-story addition, 140 by 20 feet, to its bleachery at the lower mills.

Oswego, N. Y. The new plant of the Last Long Knitting Co. will be ready by September.

Perry, N. Y. The Tempest Knitting Co. has made improvements to their mill while it has been closed down, and expect to be in operation about the middle of this month.

Sherburne, N. Y. The Canasawacta Knitting Co.'s Quarter Mill is installing new spinning machinery and expect to work overtime soon.

Utica, N. Y. The new mill of the Fort Schuyler Knitting Co., on Kemble street, is expected to be completed by October 1st.

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Utica, N. Y. The Skenandoa Cotton Co. reports having plenty of orders on hand and is running on a full time

Waverly, N. Y. Work on the new silk mill is now progressing rapidly.

Ballard Vale, Mass. The Ballard Vale Mills Co. have resumed operations on a full time basis.

Clinton, Mass. K. Frankel, together with his brother-in-law, Morris Sheftel, both morchants of this town, will enter into the manufacture of silk fabrics at Paterson, N. J., trading as the United Silk Mfg. Co.

Clinton, Mass. The worsted spinning department of the Victor Mfg. Co., which has been closed down for some time, has resumed operations on a full time basis with a full force of opera-

East Boston, Mass. Work is progressing rapidly on the erection of the Mayerick Cotton Mills, to be equipped with 60,000 spindles.

East Dedham, Mass. The Norfolk Mills of the Cochrane Mfg. Co., manu-The Norfolk facturers of carpets and rugs, suffered a loss of \$30,000, by fire. The main damage was in their dyeing and finishing departments, where a large amount of goods was ready for shipping.

Easthampton, Mass. The Hampton Co., converters and mercerizers of yarns and fabrics, is erecting a new mill 120 by 158 feet.

Fall River, Mass. The foundations for the new waste mill at Assonet have been laid. It is expected that the plant will be ready for operation in November.

Fall River, Mass. The Mule room on the top floor of Hargraves Mill No. I, was considerably damaged by fire.

Fall River, Mass. The directors of the new Charlton Mill have awarded the loom contract to the Crompton & Knowles Loom Co. Between 1,200 and 1,300 looms of this make will be used in the new mill.

Fall River, Mass. The Stafford Mills are again operating their wide looms in conjunction with corresponding por-tions of their carding and spinning de-

Farnumsville, Mass. The Wuskanut Mills will increase floor space for their finishing and shipping departments; they also will erect a new office building.

Holyoke, Mass. The William Skinner & Sons Mfg. Co. will occupy the entire Whitcomb Bldg., on Dwight street.

Ipswich, Mass. The Ipswich Mills are building a four story, 83 by 87 feet, brick addition to their finishing plant.

Leominster, Mass. The Rockwell Woolen Co. recently, incorporated with a capital of \$50,000, will carry on the business formerly conducted by the late E. M. Rockwell.

Lowell, Mass. Some of the looms of the Bigelow Carpet Co., which have been operated by steam since 1883, will in the future be operated by electric power, it being the contention that the drive is steadier and consequently easier on the loom.

Lowell, Mass. The Hamilton Manufacturing Co. suffered a loss of \$1,500, caused by fire on the fourth floor of the blue dyehouse.

Lowell, Mass. The building for the Lowell Storage Warehouse Co., 334-60 Jackson St., Wm. M. Lovejoy, mgr., is rapidly nearing completion. It will have a capacity of 150,000 square feet, for the warehousing of manufactured goods, wool, tops and yarns.

Lowell, Mass. Another building to cost about \$22,000 is to be added to the Lowell Textile School, to increase the school's capacity for instruction. The building will be used for dyeing, spinning, etc., and will be 195 by 57 feet, one story and basement.

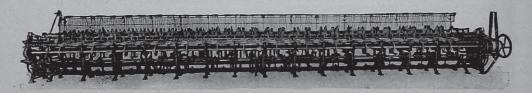
New Bedford, Mass. A new cotton manufacturing corporation, to be known as the "Booth Mill," capitalized at \$1,250,000, is reported. Its equipment is to consist of 50,000 spindles and 1,500 looms. Wm. L. Mauran, of Providence, is quoted as president, and Geo. H. Booth, now agent of the Gosnold Mills, is reported to be the manufacturing agent.

New Bedford, Mass. The Anderson Textile Manufacturing Co., manufacturers of mercerized and tinsel yarns, as well as wrapping twines, now operating 2,000 spindles, have acquired land on Kempton Street, and will erect a modern plant there. plant there.

North Adams, Mass. It is reported that William Whitman, the owner of the Mayflower Worsted Mills, proposes operating the plant as soon as possible.

Northampton, Mass. The Nonotuck Silk Co. is erecting a new office building.

North Adams, Mass. The Arnold Print Works report that business has



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picked up, and for the first time in a couple years, are working on a full and over time basis.

Plymouth, Mass. It is reported that the Puritan Mills of the American Woolen Co. will soon operate on a full time basis; they are rapidly installing new looms.

Riverview, Mass. The factory for the utilization of oxwool, by a secret process, which will give employment to from 50 to 75 men, is ready for operation. The company, of which Dr. Geo. Forrest is pres., is a branch of the Oxford Linen Mills, Brookfield, and has a paid-up capital of \$250,000. It is proposed to use the oxwool in place of cotton, in the manufacture of woolen fabrics.

Salem, Mass. The Naumkeag Steam Cotton Co. is increasing its motive capacity by 2,400 horsepower.

South Acton, Mass. The South Acton Woolen Co. has installed nine new cards and is operating their plant on a full time schedule.

South Royalston, Mass. The plant of the American Woolen Co. is expected to be finished in a short time, when operations will commence.

Taunton, Mass. The Taunton River Silk Mills report that they have plenty of orders on hand and are running full time.

Three Rivers, Mass. The Palmer Mill, of the Otis Co., will build an addition to its weave shed, to provide room for about 1,000 additional looms; their present equipment consists of 1,200 looms.

Zebulon, N. C. The Zebulon Hosiery Mills, T. J. Horton, pres., have completed their new dyeing and finishing plant. They expect to be in operation by September.

Greystone, R. I. Joseph Benn & Sons, Inc., have increased the capacity of the sorting department by the addition of 12 new benches.

Lymansville, R. I. The Lymansville Co., who are reported to be working on a full time schedule, will work overtime as soon as the weather is cooler. They are overrun with orders.

Esmond, R. I. The Esmond Mfg. Co. is running on a day and night schedule.

Olneyville, R. I. The Continental Worsted Mills report that they are operating on a day and night schedule.

Pawtucket, R. I. The Slater Mfg. Co. will erect a new warehouse and picker room, of brick construction, at an estimated cost of \$30,000.

Pawtucket, R. I. The Home Bleach & Dye Works, due to the large orders received daily, are operating on a day and night schedule.

Pawtucket, R. I. The Dexter Yarn Co. suffered a loss of \$3,000, to the stock and machinery, caused by fire and water in their mule shed.

Providence, R. I. The American Silk Spinning Co. report that they will add additional machinery, increasing their equipment to 15,000 spindles, thus enabling them to double their capacity.

River Point, R 1. The Continental Finishing Co. report that they are very busy and are working on a full time schedule.

Thornton, R. I. The Pocasset Worsted Mills report that they are very busy, and in anticipation of large orders, are laying in a large supply of tops.

Danielson, Conn. The Danielsonville Cotton Co. is operating their plant overtime, three nights a week.

Hanover, Conn. The Airlie Mills are reported running on a full time basis.

East Lyme, Conn. James Bathgate, agent of the Niantic Manufacturing Co., reports that they are very busy and have enough orders on hand to keep them busy for the rest of the year.

Hartford, Conn. The Hygrade Mills Co., recently opened a factory for the manufacture of sweaters, mittens, etc.

Killingly, Conn. The Attawaugan Co. is installing an electric generating plant and will operate their plant by electricity instead of steam, as heretofore.

Mechanicszille, Conn. The French River Textile Co. (see reference in July issue) has broken ground for the large new weave shed. Additional operatives will be employed, thereby enabling the company to increase its production without operating overtime, as they now had to do for years.

Mystic, Conn. The Royal Linen Mills Co. are progressing rapidly with the installment of the machinery in their bleachery, and expect to be in operation before September 1.

Plainfield, Conn. The Lawton Mills Corporation has increased its capital by \$100,000.

Stafford Springs, Conn. The Warren Woolen Co. will install 30 new looms to replace old ones.

Stonington, Conn. The American Velvet Co. is rapidly installing looms in the new addition to their plant.

Portland, Me. A. F. Dunham and M. S. Wells, of this city, have incorporated as the "West End Thread Co.," to manufacture and deal in cotton, linen, silk, wool and other threads, fabrics, etc.

Waterville, Me. The Wyondotte Worsted Co. has broken ground for a one story addition, 58 by 88 feet, and a two story addition, 30 by 140 feet, in order to provide room for adding 24 new looms as well as four sets cards and necessary spinning machinery.

Manchester, N. H. The Armory Mills of the Amoskeag Mfg. Co. have provided a library for their overseers in their mill building.

Nashua, N. H. The mills of the Nashua Mfg. Co. and the Jackson Co., employing 3,500 hands, after having been closed down since July 2, have resumed operations on a full time sched-

Burlington, Vt. The American Woolen Company is installing machinery in its Winooski River Mills, 100 looms having been taken from the company's Burlington Mills and placed in the former plant. New looms are now being installed in the Burlington Mills to replace those which have been removed.

Danville, Va. The Dan River Power and Mfg. Co., are reported looking for a site in the Piedmont section of North or South Carolina for erecting a new mill.

Norfolk, Va. The Norfolk Knitting Mills Corporation, capital \$50,000, has taken over the plant of the Norfolk Knitting Mills.

Roanoke, Va. It is reported that the Roanoke Cotton Mills plan to put their plant in operation as soon as the new cotton crop is received.

Martinsburg, W. Va. It is reported that the Kilbourn Knitting Machine Co.,

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manufacturers of hosiery, are erecting an additional building, to cost about \$20,000.

Suffolk, Va. The Board of Trade of this city is reported as interested in the organization of a company to build a cotton mill.

Albemarle, N. C. The large new mill of the Wiscassett Mills Co. will be equipped in large part for the spinning of combed yarns.

Burlington, N. C. The Burlington Dyeing and Finishing Co., who are equipped with the latest dyeing and finishing machinery, expect to have the same in operation by the time the Journal reaches our readers.

Charlotte, N. C. Work on the Pauline Mill, of which C. E. Neisler is the principal owner, is nearing completion. They will manufacture damasks.

Forest City, N. C. The Florence Mills have installed a new dyeing plant which will have considerable to do with the steady operations of the mill; they are beginning to weave some beautiful

Hickory, N. C. J. D. Elliott, P. P. Jones, and others have incorporated as the Elliott Knitting Mill, capital \$25,000, for the manufacture of hosiery.

Raleigh, N. C. J. A. Matthews, of the Capital Hosiery Mills, it is reported, intends to build a carpet and rug mill.

Rockingham, N. C. The buildings of the Entwistle Manufacturing Company are completed, and the installing of 20,000 spindles and 500 looms, furnished respectively by the Whitin Machine Works, the Draper Co. etc., is progressing received.

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Salisbury, N. C. The Salisbury Cotton
Mills are building a one story, 80 by 74
feet addition to their weave room, to
accommodate 80 new looms

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Vass, N. C. The Vass Cotton Mills Co., whose buildings were completed some time ago, are installing 5,000 spindles and accompanying machinery furnished by the Whitin Machine Works. Angus Cameron is pres. and Walter B. Bell sec. and treas.

Belton, S. C. It is reported that E. B. Rice has purchased an equipment and will start the manufacture of towels and doilies.

Camden, S. C. The Hermitage Cotton Mill, manufacturers of fine sheetings, will install additional picking and carding machinery to enable them to operate their other departments to full capacity. They will, at the same time, erect a third story addition to their plant.

Columbia, S. C. The new Glencoe Cotton Mills, manufacturers of cotton twines, expect to have their plant completed and in operation by the early fall.

Darlington, S. C. Efforts are made here by D. T. McKeithan, S. Vaughan and L. E. Williamson, to push a proposition for the organization of a \$300,000 company to build a new mill.

Fountain Inn, S. C. It is rumored that foreign capitalists have made a proposition to the citizens of this place to put up \$150,000 towards building a new \$200,000 mill here, if local capitalists will subscribe \$50,000.

Gaffney, S. C. The Hamrick Mills, have decided to increase their capital stock by \$100,000, to enlarge their plant.

Greenwood, S. C. Work has been started on Greenwood's fifth big cotton mill, the Panola. F. S. Evans, its pres., hopes to have it completed within five months.

Laurens, S. C. It is reported that a new company, to be known as the Connemara Cotton Mill, capital \$400,000, is to be organized here by W. L. Gray and others.

Newberry, S. C. W. H. Hunt and others, plan the organization of a company, with a capital of \$300,000, to build a cotton mill.

Walhalla, S. C. The Walhalla Cotton Mills have installed a number of new spinning frames, and are making a number of minor improvements.

Wellford, S. C. The Jordan Mfg. Co. will erect a 60 feet addition to their plant, which they will equip with additional machinery for the manufacture of counterpanes and towels.

Arlington, Ga. It is reported that J. E. Toole of this section, is a prominent factor in the organization of a \$250,000 cotton mill which may be built here.

Hampton, Ga. The Hampton Cotton Mills, who operate a 10,000 ring spindle plant, are replacing steam power with the electrical drive.

Eufaula, Ala. The Cowikee Cotton Mills, which is said to be one of the best paying establishment of its kind in Alabama, is being enlarged and equipped with new machinery.

Knoxville, Tenn. The Standard Knitting Mill is enlarging its plant.

Fort Worth, Tex. A. W. Samuels of this place is at the head of a movement to raise \$200,000, to establish a cotton mill here.

Galveston, Tex. The Waste Mill of this place has doubled its capital.

McKinney, Texas. The erection of the buildings of the Lone Star Cotton Mills is progressing rapidly. They expect to be in operation by October.

Quanah, Tex. P. A. Whaley, secretary of the Quanah Chamber of Commerce, plans the organization of a company to erect a \$350,000 cotton mill; Eastern parties are mentioned as interested

Sherman, Tex. N. B. Birge and others have incorporated as the Sherman Cotton Mill, capital \$100,000.

Ada, O. Henry Young and others have incorporated as the Ada Knitting Co.

Belleville, Ill. The Belleville Hosiery Mills, E. H. Newson pres., have increased their capital by \$20,000. They will erect a new plant at a cost of \$15,000.

Chicago, Ill. The Lorenz Knit Goods Manufacturing Co., 1754-1756 Belmont avenue, are installing new machinery for the manufacture of men's full fashioned union suits.

Grand Rapids, Mich. The Swiss-American Knitting Company, capitalized at \$85,000, has been incorporated to take over the business of the Clarke Knitting Works, now located at Front and Allen streets.

Owosso, Mich. It is rumored that the Western Knitting Mills of Rochester will erect a branch here. It will be two stories high and give employment to over one hundred hands.

Delavan, Wis. It is rumored that the Bradley Knitting Co. intend erecting a three story addition to their plant, so as to install machinery for the manufacture of a recently designed and patented infant shirt.

Waupaca, Wis. It is reported that the Waupaca Felting Mills, which have been idle for a year, are again going to resume operations.

Kansas City, Mo. Samuel A. and Marshall S. Walker and A. S. Lepham, Jr. have incorporated the Star Underwear Mills, capital \$15,000.

Kansas City, Mo. The Star Underwear Mills have been incorporated by Samuel A. Walker and others, with a capital of \$15,000.

Meridian, Miss. The Priscilla Mill has increased capital stock for the purpose of building a mill to spin the yarns for its hosiery plant.

Oklahoma City, Okla. The Oklahoma City Bag & Cotton Mills are reported as taking action to begin construction of the necessary buildings. M. L. Berry is mentioned as the president in this enterprise.

Provo, Utah. The Knight Woolen Mills Co., which has been organized to operate the old Provo Woolen Mills, recently purchased by Jesse Knight, is sending out letters to the stockholders of the Provo Woolen Mills Co., offering them the opportunity to take stock in the new company on the same basis as the new company's stockholders. The new company is incorporated for \$150,000.

Osage, Okla. Browne Cornelison, Security Building, Oklahoma City, and others, have incorporated as the American Hosiery Company, capital \$100,000.

Marysville, N. B. It is reported that the Gibson Cotton Mills have been transferred to the Canadian Colored Cotton Co., Montreal, through D. Morrice, Sr., pres. of the corporation.

Ottawa, Can. The capital of the Canadian Colored Cotton Mills Co., Ltd., has been increased by \$3,000,000.

St. Hyacinthe, Que. It is reported that Penman's, Ltd., manufacturers of hosiery and underwear, of which C. M. Heddle is supt., is operating 12 out of their 18 sets of cards, day and night.

ABOUT MEN YOUKNOW.

Richard G. Riley, is now in charge of the Gosnold Mills Co., New Bedford, Mass.

Charles T. Plunkett, secretary of the Berkshire Cotton Manufacturing Co., Adams, Mass., and ex-president of the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers, has gone on a vacation trip to England and the Continent.

The boom of a heavy derrick used on the construction works of the Garner Print Works and Bleachery at Wappingers Falls broke Friday and fell. C. H. Fish, general manager of the company, of Dover, N. H., an ex-president of the Ntl. Cotton Mfgr.'s Assoc., was pinned under a piece of the wreckage and seriously injured.

P. B. Murphy, for the past 10 years general manager of the Newman Cotton Mill, has been elected president, to succeed the late R. D. Cole, Sr.

George McCartney, who has been assistant for some time to Mr. Tinkham, the former resident agent of the Tinkham mill of the U. S. Worsted Co., Harrisville, R. I., will continue as a member of the board of directors of the U. S. Worsted Co., assisting them in purchasing and giving them the benefit of his experience as well as his advice in conducting their sales department.

Colonel Joseph E. Fletcher, head of the Coronet Worsted Mills, Providence, R. I., received a handsome sabre last week when he was tendered a reception by his regiment, the First Light Infantry.

Joseph F. Cannon, secretary and treasurer of the Wiscassett Mills Co., Albemarle, N. C., has just recovered from an operation for appendicitis.

Gifford V. Cochran, president of the Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Company, Yonkers, N. Y., sailed for Europe.

S. F. Sheldon is the new designer and assistant superintendent of the Camden (Me.) Woolen Co.

George Smith has been appointed superintendent and designer of the Tremont Worsted Co., Methuen, Mass. Jefferson B. Kimball is now designer for the Stillwater Worsted Co., Greenville, R. I.

Herbert Smith is the new superintendent of the Davol Mills, Fall River, Mass.

Theodore R. Plunkett, son of W. B. Plunkett, treasurer of the Berkshire Cotton Manufacturing Co.. has resigned his position as traveling salesman for a mill supply company, to go to work in the company's office with his father and learn that end of the business.

Jules Schweighofer, superintendent of the Alsace Worsted Co., Woonsocket, R. I., who was injured recently in an automobile accident, has been discharged from the hospital.

Ira A. Stone has been appointed assistant superintendent of the South Acton (Mass.) Woolen Co.

Irving Johnson is the new superintendent of the A. Howarth & Son woolen mills, Rochdale, Mass.

Arthur C. Brown is now assistant superintendent for the Falls Co., Norwich, Conn.

T. T. Tierney is the new superintendent of the Marion (Ohio) branch of the Susquehanna Silk Mills.

Joseph Lightowlar is now superintendent of the Norway Worsted Co., Calendar Street, Providence, R. I.

B. W. Bingham has been appointed superintendent of the new Vass (N. C.) Cotton Mills.

F. H. McDavitt is to become the superintendent at the Maverick Mills, East Boston, Mass.

John Keenan, formerly superintendent of the bleachery department of the Southbridge (Mass.) Printing Co., has been reengaged.

Jolin M. McLemore is now superintendent of the Talladega (Ala.) Cotton Factory.

W. E. Williams is now superintendent at the Tennille (Ga.) Yarn Mills.

Arthur J. Hale is the new assistant superintendent of the Rotch Mills, New Bedford, Mass.

Robert Wild is the new boss spinner at the Ashland Cotton Co., Jewett City, Conn.

George P. Wilman is now boss dyer at the Continental Worsted Co., Providence, R. I.

C. S. Garner is the new boss weaver for Mayo & Son, Inc., Foxcroft, Me.

William Nelson is the new boss weaver at the Bernon Mills, Georgia-ville, R. I.

Napoleon Montville is now overseer of spinning in the mill of the Forestdale Manufacturing Co., Forestdale, R. I.

Walter Crabtree is the new boss spinner of the Plainfield Woolen Co., Central Village, Conn.

Mr. Stimson is the new boss spinner

at the Greylock Mills, North Adams,

Charles Jennings is now superintendent of the River Spinning Mill, Woonsocket, R. I.

Frank Mowry is the new boss carder at the American Woolen Mills Co., Franklin, Mass.

E. Strahlmann has been elected pres.; Charles F. Mohnike, vice pres.; G. Aubrey Davidson, treas., and M. C. Dibble, sec., of the Southern California Silk Co., San Diego, Cal.

Robert E. Jackson has been appointed overseer for the Sauquoit Co., Capron, N. Y.

Samuel Handford has become boss bleacher for the Waldrich Bleachery. Delawanna, N. J.

David Dana Woodbury will be the new assistant to Mr. Hartshorne, at the Arlington Mills, Lawrence, Mass.

Thomas Killduff is now an overseer for the Skenandoa Cotton Co., Utica, N. Y.

John Legg, president of the Worcester Woolen Mill Co., and a director of the American Association of Woolen and Worsted Manufacturers, who was dangerously ill, since April 3rd, has recovered, and will go for a vacation to Maine, to remain until late in September.

Walter M. Hastings will represent William Whitman in the management of the new merino yarn mill which is being erected in South Lawrence, Mass.

OBITUARY

Richard Waterhouse, formerly owner of the Greenville Woolen Mills, Greenville, R. I., and a well known woolen manufacturer of New England. He was born in Yorkshire, England, and came to this country when a boy.

George Scatchard, one of the founders of the firm of Joseph Scatchard's Sons, manufacturers of woolen goods and yarns, Germantown, Philadelphia. He was born in England, coming to this country at the age of 12.

John Dieckhaus, manufacturer of knitting machines, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Turner Tate, formerly associated with his brothers, Fred, Ernest and H. H. Tate, in the operation of the Mountain Island (N. C.) Cotton Mills.

Frederick H. Daniell, superintendent of the Sulloway Mills, Franklin, N. H.

Ethan Dennison Griswold, president of the Griswoldville Manufacturing Co., Griswoldville, Mass.

Louis H. di Zerega, one of the founders of the New York Cotton Exchange, New York City.

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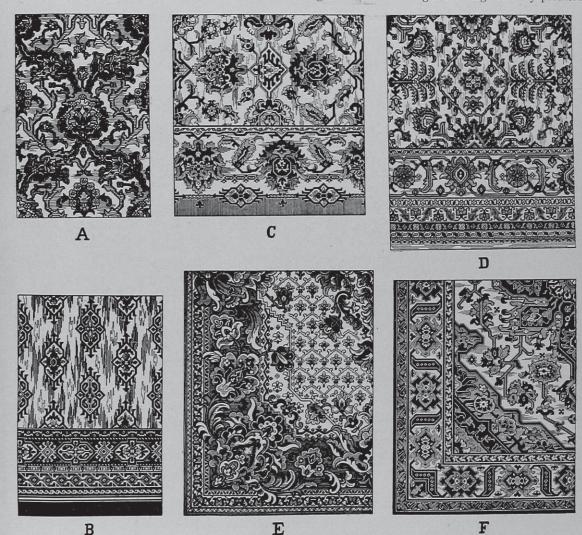
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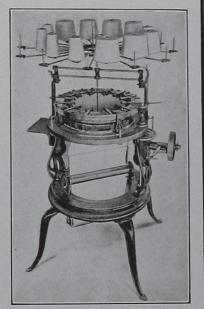
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