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TALKS OF PLAGUE OF VOLUNTEERS

Washington, Sept. 21—Business men and technical experts who are now acting in an advisory capacity to the gov-

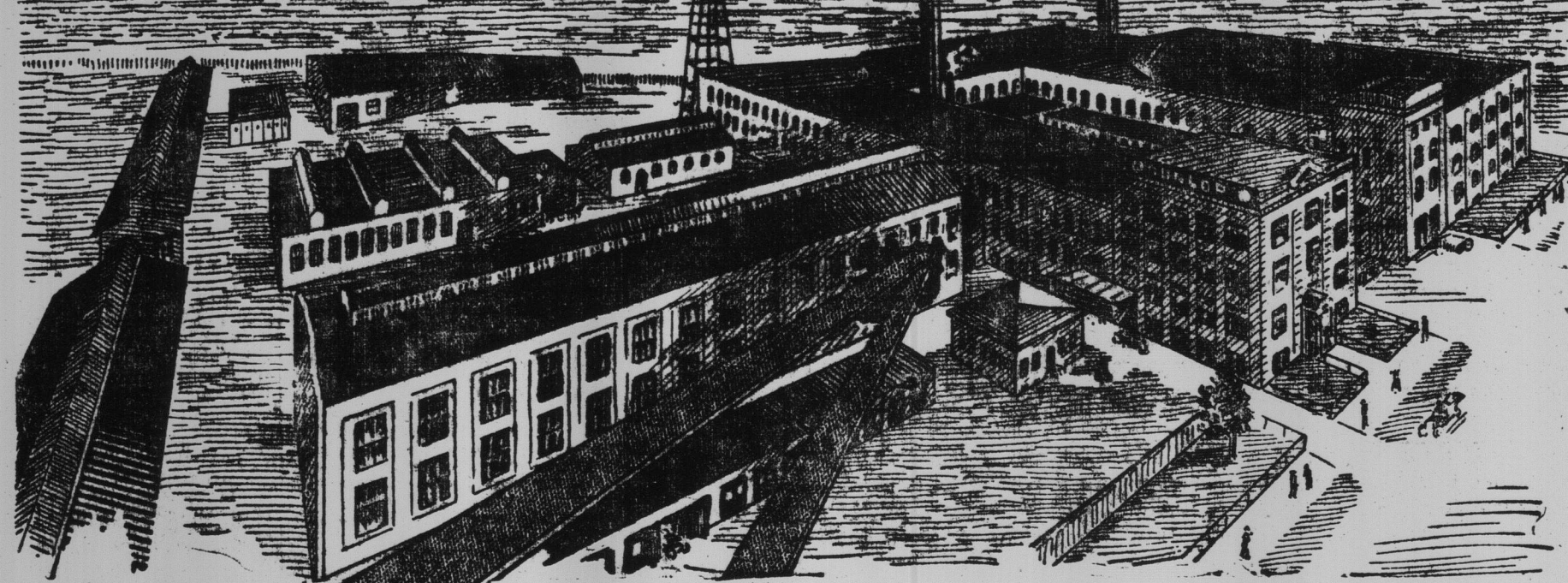
ernment were described as a "plague of volunteers" in the house by Representative Dupre, of Louisiana, who maintained that the government would do better to hire men at high salaries than accept the services of volunteers at a dollar a year. "Much of the trouble we are having in the conduct of the war," he said, "is due to the avalanche of patriots who have come here to tender their services to the government. These gentlemen are

working for a dollar a year and are apparently working about one-third of a day. You will find that on Thursday they must leave town for the week-end and return the subsequent Tuesday. In the intervening days, if you endeavor to get in touch with them, you will find they have gone to lunch. If the government had men who were paid a fixed salary, men who knew they would be subject to criticism for not attending to their work, we would get better re-

sults. But here we have this avalanche, this plague of volunteers, who are here 'doing their bit,' how little a bit I do not know." Representative Dupre also called attention to the great numbers of men who have worked their way into the quarters-master corps. "If the quartermaster corps could fight," he said, "there would be no trouble in whipping Germany by tomorrow night as far as numbers are concerned."

Representative Gillett, of Massachusetts, took issue with Representative Dupre. "I believe the volunteers are infinitely more valuable to the country than those of the paid and deserving Democrats," he said. "The deserving Democrats in office could not carry the country along without the aid of the volunteers. I don't doubt the gentleman from Louisiana would like everyone to be paid a large salary, so he could place his friends so they would receive proper remuneration."

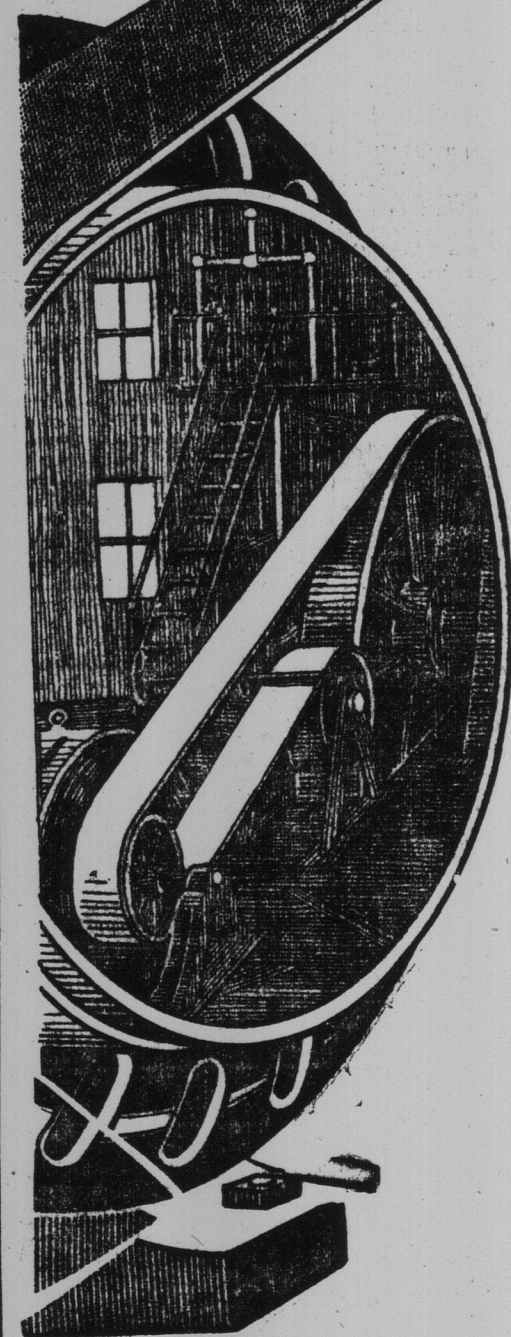
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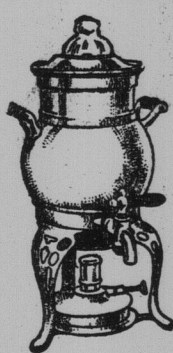
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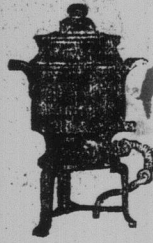
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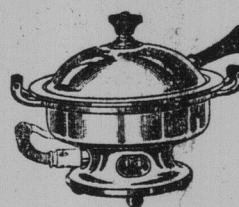
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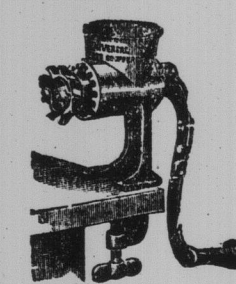


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