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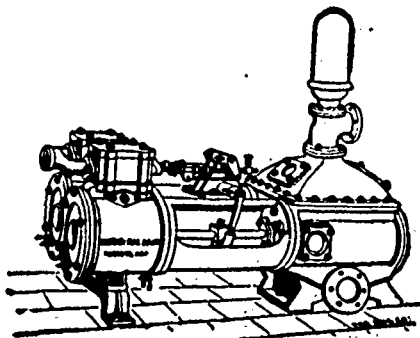
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holders are not to be entitled to recover more than the proportion of the sum assured which the net premium paid would have purchased at the net rate for the true age. (9) Companies are to promptly furnish such information concerning their business as the superintendent may require of them for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of the Act. (10) The proposed clause limiting the voting power of any one shareholder has been eliminated. Whilst we think that tampering with the Insurance law in a piecemeal fashion is to be deprecated, we believe that the present occasion should be taken advantage of to bring it up to date and make it thorough. — *Insurance and Finance Chronicle.*

Russian competition prevents any increase in petroleum exports from this side, and for three years they have been stationary. In the first four months of this year, American provision exports have increased \$14,200,000 and cotton exports \$10,400,000 over last year's.

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