

—A New York Times special from Chicago, says: "According to reports received by clothing manufacturers here, the American Woolen Company owns millions of pounds of raw wool purchased at prices ranging from 15 to 20 cents a pound two years ago. The market price to-day brings only 11 cents a pound. The amount of surplus wool on hand at the last annual meeting was valued at \$3,424,000. The clothing manufacturers are finding it to their advantage to buy cloth of the independent factories. A leading clothing manufacturer, of Chicago, who returned from New York to-day, declared that the backbone of the trust already had been

broken, and that it was only a question of a few months when natural conditions would bring the combination to an end."

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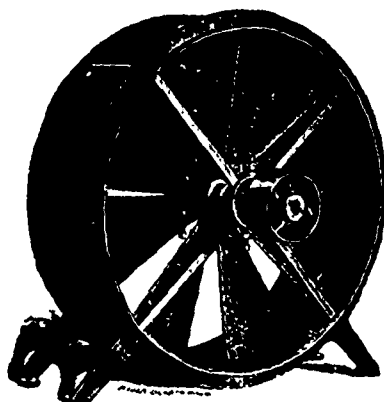
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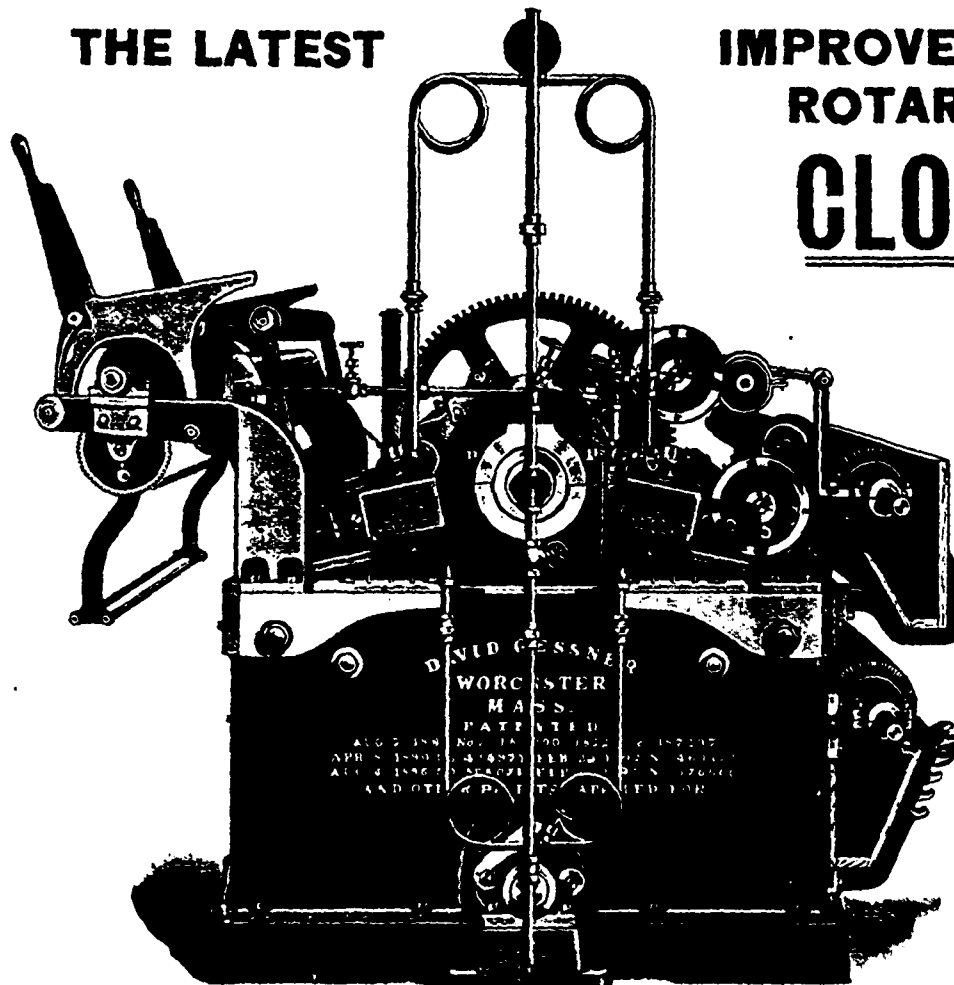
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