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ALL who take an interest in the growth of manufactories in this city must have observed with satisfaction the growth of the structure that has been rising since last summer at the south corner of State and Vought streets, Rochester, not only a new building but a novel one. Instead of building on the ordinary foundation walls, the architect put in massive cast iron pillars to bear the superstructure and on them proceeded to construct what is perhaps the best appointed building for manufacturing purposes in the city, if not in the state.

It is now so far advanced toward completion that the owners, the Eastman Kodak Company, proposes to move in next month and occupy it in the manufacture of kodaks. It was roofed in and glazed last fall and the workmen

are now putting in shafting and other interior work necessary to complete it for the purpose to which it will be permanently devoted. The building has a frontage of 60 feet on State street and a depth of 128 feet on Vought street. It is six stories high exclusive of the basement, and there is an addition on Vought street, two stories high 42x60 feet in area. The total area of the flooring is 55,000 feet—about an acre and a quarter; the floor area of the building which the company occupies at present on Vought street is three-quarters of an acre, while the floor area of the buildings owned by the company at Kodak park is over two acres, making a total of four acres on which the company will grow kodaks when it gets into the new State street building. The walls are three feet wide at the base and sixteen inches at the top. They are of hard pressed brick. The amount of daylight that will enter the building is one of the remarkable features of the structure. There are nine