

THE Briar Hill Water Company, Toronto, are making application for incorporation with a capital of \$400,000.

W. BEATTY's saw mill, Parry Sound, Ont., was burnt down July 24th. Loss about \$10,000, partially covered by insurance.

F. DEMERS' flour and saw mill was burnt out last month. Loss \$5,000, insurance \$2,000.

MESSRS. PENDER & Co., St. John, N.B., are about to build a large addition to their nail works.

MESSRS. HAYDEN & DUNBAR, Woodstock, N.B., had a fire July 17th. The moulding shop was completely destroyed. Most of the machinery in the machine shop was saved. There was no insurance.

MESSRS. SMITH & MCGARVIN's saw mill, Chatham, Ont., was burnt out July 19th. Loss, \$4,000.

MESSRS. CROSS & WICKLIN, Stewarton, Ont., are making some improvements and adding more machinery to their tannery.

THE Ontario Standard Oil Company have purchased the big refinery at Sarnia, Ont., which has been idle for some time, and will put it in working order.

HOMER, CHRISTIE & Co., have started a cigar factory at Belleville, Ont.

A JOINT stock company is being formed in Vancouver, B.C., for the extensive manufacture of woven wire mattresses. Mr. Donaldson has been appointed manager. Mr. J. A. Anderson and Mr. J. Webster are interested.

THE buildings for R. McDonnell's new rolling mill at Toronto are being pushed forward. They expect to have them completed by the end of August.

THE Consolidated Plate Glass Company have built a new warehouse and offices at 71 and 75 Wellington Street West, Toronto.

THE Milton Pulp Company, Milton, N.S., have been incorporated with a capital stock of \$30,000.

MESSRS. GODARD & ANDERSON, electrical supplies, Ottawa, have dissolved partnership, Mr. R. Anderson continuing the business.

MESSRS. ELLIOTT & CARSCADDEN's paper box factory, Toronto, was damaged by fire July 26th. Loss, \$3,000; insurance, \$2,500.

THE George H. Harper Milling & Seed Company, of Wentworth, are applying for incorporation with a capital stock of \$45,000.

THE Vokes Hardware Company, of Toronto, are applying for incorporation with a capital stock of \$40,000.

MCGOURTY & DONOHUE, cornice makers, St. John, N.B., have dissolved partnership. Mr. Peter McGourty continues the business.

THE Hamilton, Ont., City Council are talking of building another high reservoir and put in new engines, as the present pressure is too low for fire protection.

VICTORIA, B.C., is agitating for a new water supply. There is some talk of bringing it from Thetis lake, a distance of seventeen miles.

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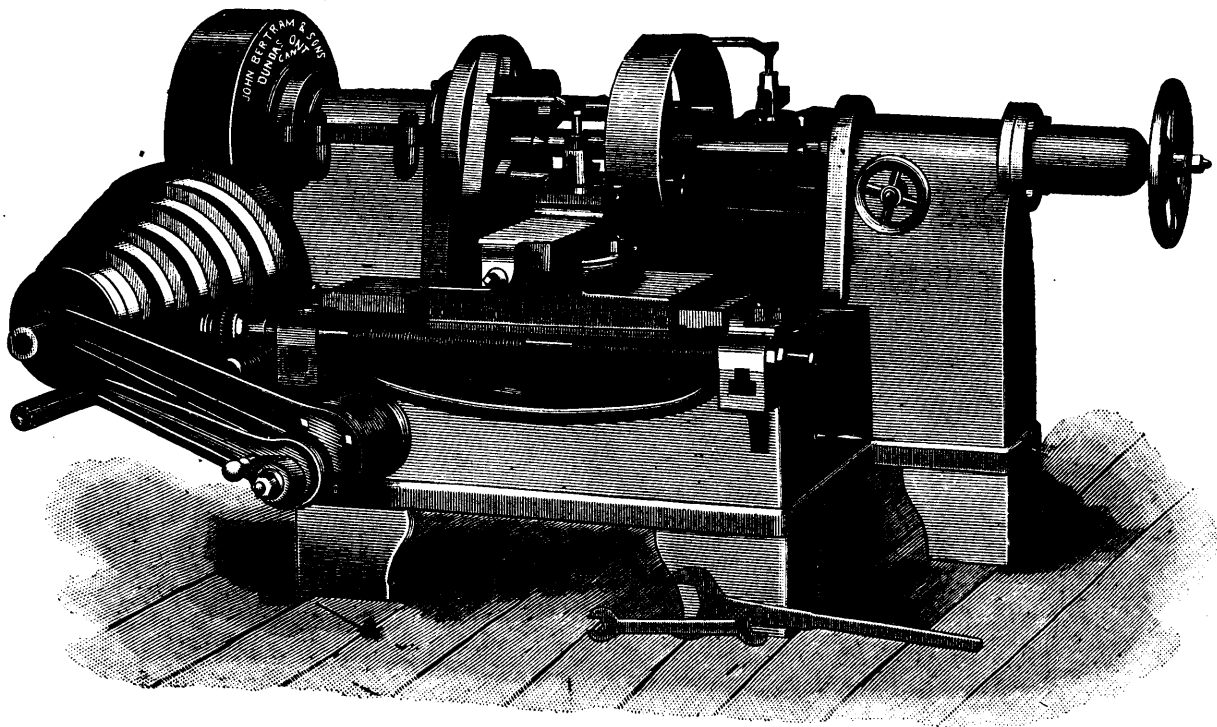
This system uses oil with a higher pressure of air, and is adopted in the United States and Canada for all kinds of iron and steel forging, tempering, welding, annealing, etc.; in glass works, for furnaces, glory holes, etc.; for generating steam; for burning lime, cement, sewer pipes, terra cotta, brick, etc.; for heating chemicals and asphalt; for japanning; for oxidizing lead; for drying sand, salt, etc.; for singeing cloth, etc. Its advantages over coal and wood are: A perfectly even fire, at all times under complete control, free from gas and dust, and ready for use in a minute after turning valve, and no increase in insurance rates.

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