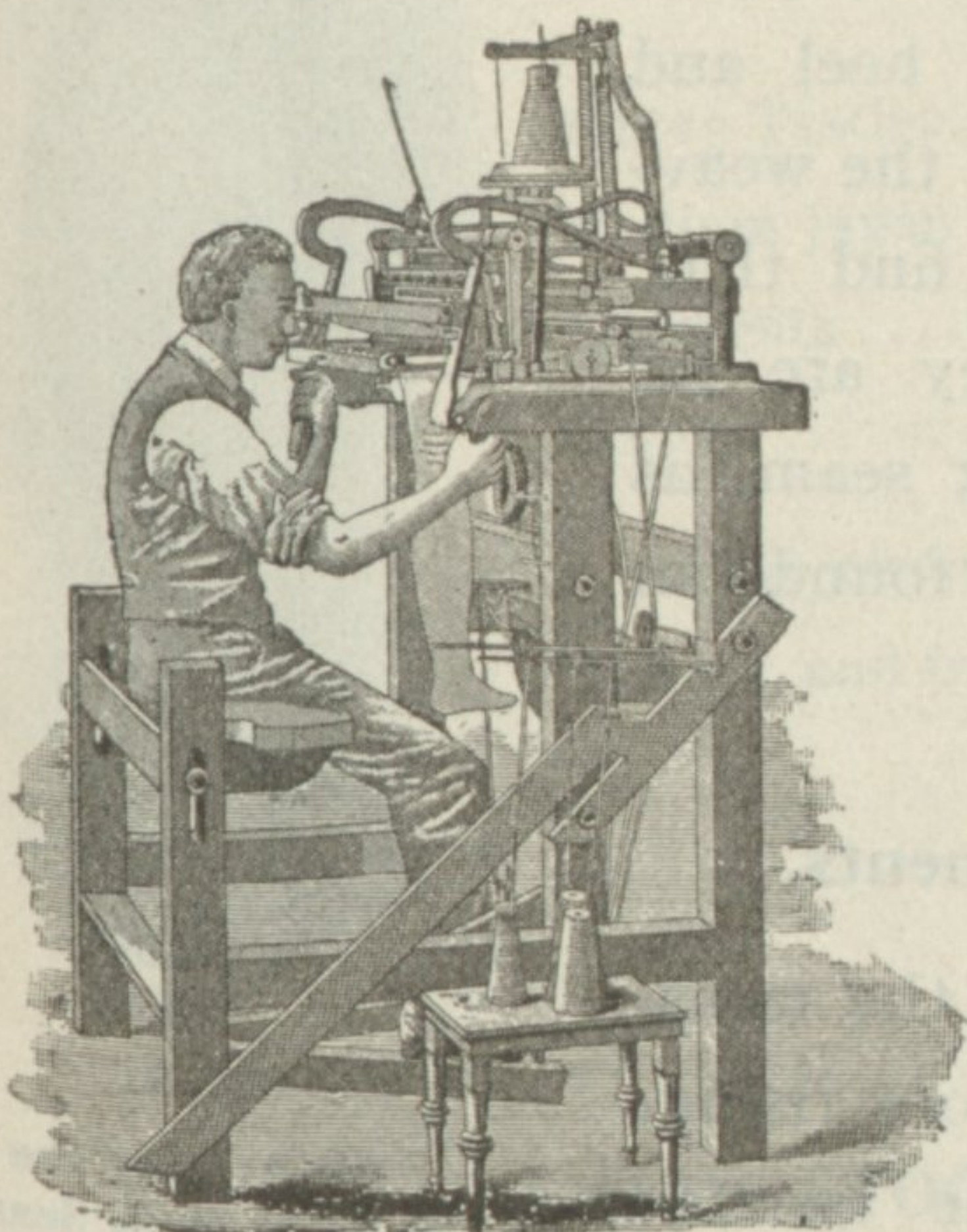


ELASTIC SURGICAL HOSIERY.

Embracing Elastic Stockings, Knee-Caps, Anklets, Abdominal Belts, etc., for the Cure, Relief, or Treatment of Varicose Veins, Weak, Swollen or Ulcerated Limbs, Corpulency, Abdominal Weakness or Tumors.



Elastic Hosiery Loom.

These goods are of the best possible quality, and being manufactured expressly for each customer the day the order is received, we can guarantee a perfect fit and fresh goods.

The utility of this class of appliances depends largely on the quality of material, freshness of the rubber, and accuracy of fit.

In Elastic Hosiery there is an exceptional opportunity for unscrupulous dealers to supply inferior goods. The outside appearance of the "shoddy" stocking is very neat, the hidden inside is composed of a cheap rubber, which very quickly loses its elasticity.

Directions for the use and care of Elastic Hosiery.

By using *carefully*, the life of the stocking is prolonged.

Never pull the Elastic piece over a moist limb, or it will strain the fabric; a thin cotton stocking is usually worn underneath the elastic piece. Don't force the stocking, but turn or roll it on.

Turn the stocking inside out, down to the foot, then take hold of the *folded part* and draw on *closely* over foot and heel. After this is done, roll out the fold a *short* length at a time and draw on *carefully*, so that no strain is put on the fabric and *no wrinkles* are left in the Elastic Stocking.

To clean Elastic Hosiery or Belts.

Cleansing carefully will prolong the life of elastic goods. To do this correctly soak for a couple of minutes in *luke-warm* suds made of *castile soap*, then carefully clean in inside and outside with a sponge or *soft* brush, or by squeezing in the hands (not twisting); *thoroughly* rinse in two or more waters, (*moderately warm*) until *all* soap suds and dirt are removed; place a dry towel on inside and another on outside and pat with the hands until nearly dry, and then hang in a *moderately* warm room; but be sure not to expose to direct heat, either of sun or heating apparatus; press with a cold iron.

Caution: ELASTICS ARE DESTROYED quickly by oil (or grease in any form), benzine, naphtha, rubber cement, ammonia, chloroform, ether, lime or liniments, and gradually destroyed in use by perspiration.

