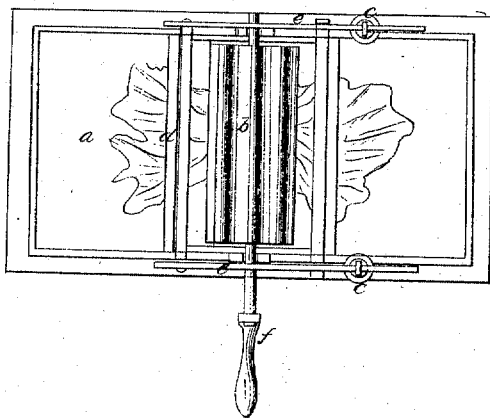
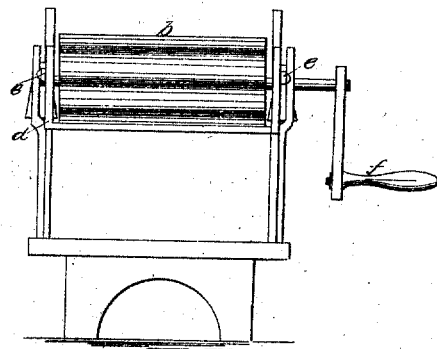
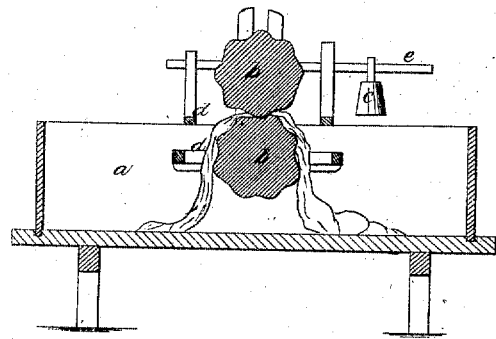


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The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and
making part of the same, containing a description in the
words of the said Silvanus Minton himself of his im-
provement in the washing machine

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting,
Be it known that Silvanus Minton of Anderson
District and State of South Carolina, have invented a
new improved and useful Improvement, in the mode of
washing clothes of all descriptions, of which the following
is a full and exact description, viz.

1st A large Box 4 feet long, two feet wide and one foot
in depth, to be made water proof will be required.

2nd There are two Rollers each ten inches in diameter
with 8 grooves on each one to fit in the other the cylinders
of each roller to rest on separate horizontal frames, one
directly above and operating on the other.

3^d The length of the Rollers to correspond with the width
of the Box. The lower Roller to run within 4 inches of
the bottom of the Box. 4th To each end of the upper
Roller weights to correspond with the kind of clothes to be
washed must be attached to press it upon the lower Roll-
er and to keep it steady.

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