

Car'di-gan-jack'et Ma-chine'. A knitting machine adapted to making knit jackets. It is a circular rib machine, making the polka or one-and-one stitch ; and the one shown by Gimson & Coltman, of Leicester, England, at the Centennial, had an action by which it could form a welt at any time, according to the length of jacket required. It is fitted with a dial for indicating the length and number of courses made. It will produce in a day 6 dozens of bodies.

See also SLEEVE MACHINE.

Lamb's Cardigan-jacket machine is also adapted for the polka, or one-and-one rib stitch.

It is described in G. W. Gregory's report on knitting machines. — "*Centennial Reports.*"