**Yarn-dresser.** A machine for sizing and polishing yarn.

In the example (Fig. 7380), it consists of a creel carrying rollers a o, which deliver their yarn over another roller, from which it dips beneath the surface of the size in a size-box and is thence led upward, passing devices which whip or brush it to remove superfluous size and give it a polish; it thence is conducted over rollers back and forth, above and below several series of steam-heated pipes arranged slantwise in stories. The letters b c d e f g show the course of the yarn which passes through a reed i, and is then wound upon a reel k in separate banks, representing the contents of the separate rollers a o.

![Yarn Dresser and Reel](image_url)