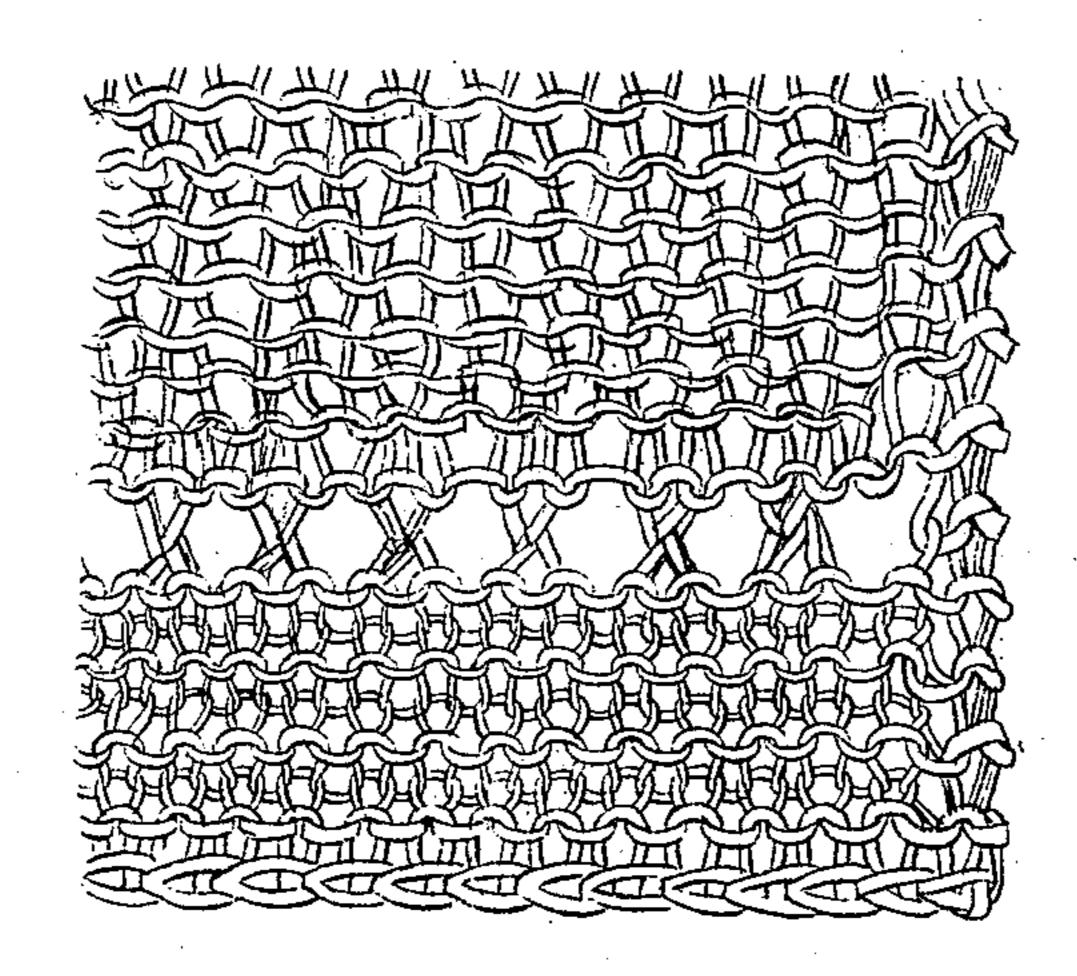
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IMPROVEMENT IN TOWELS.

The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Be it known that we, John Cash and Joseph Cash, Jr., of Coventry, Warwick county, England, have invented certain new and useful improvements in the Manufacture of Towels; and we do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof, which will enable others skilled in the art to make and use the same, reference being had to the accompanying drawing, forming part of this specification:

The drawing represents one corner of our improved bath or friction towels.

This invention relates to an improved method of manufacturing towels, to be employed for friction of the surface of the skin of a person after bathing, or similar purposes, and it consists in manufacturing the towels with tape.

The tape is knitted or formed into loops so as to constitute a complete towel or fabric, with a selvedge on all sides, as shown in the drawing. We do not limit ourselves to the making of any particular form of loop or stitch, but we prefer the ordinary knitting-stitch, as it produces a towel ribbed on both sides.

Having thus described our invention, we claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent—As a new article of manufacture, bath or friction towels manufactured of tape, substantially as described. The above specification of our invention signed by us this sixth day of September, 1867.

JOHN CASH, JOSEPH CASH, Jr.

Witnesses:

EDMUND WATERFALL, E. H. SARGEANT.