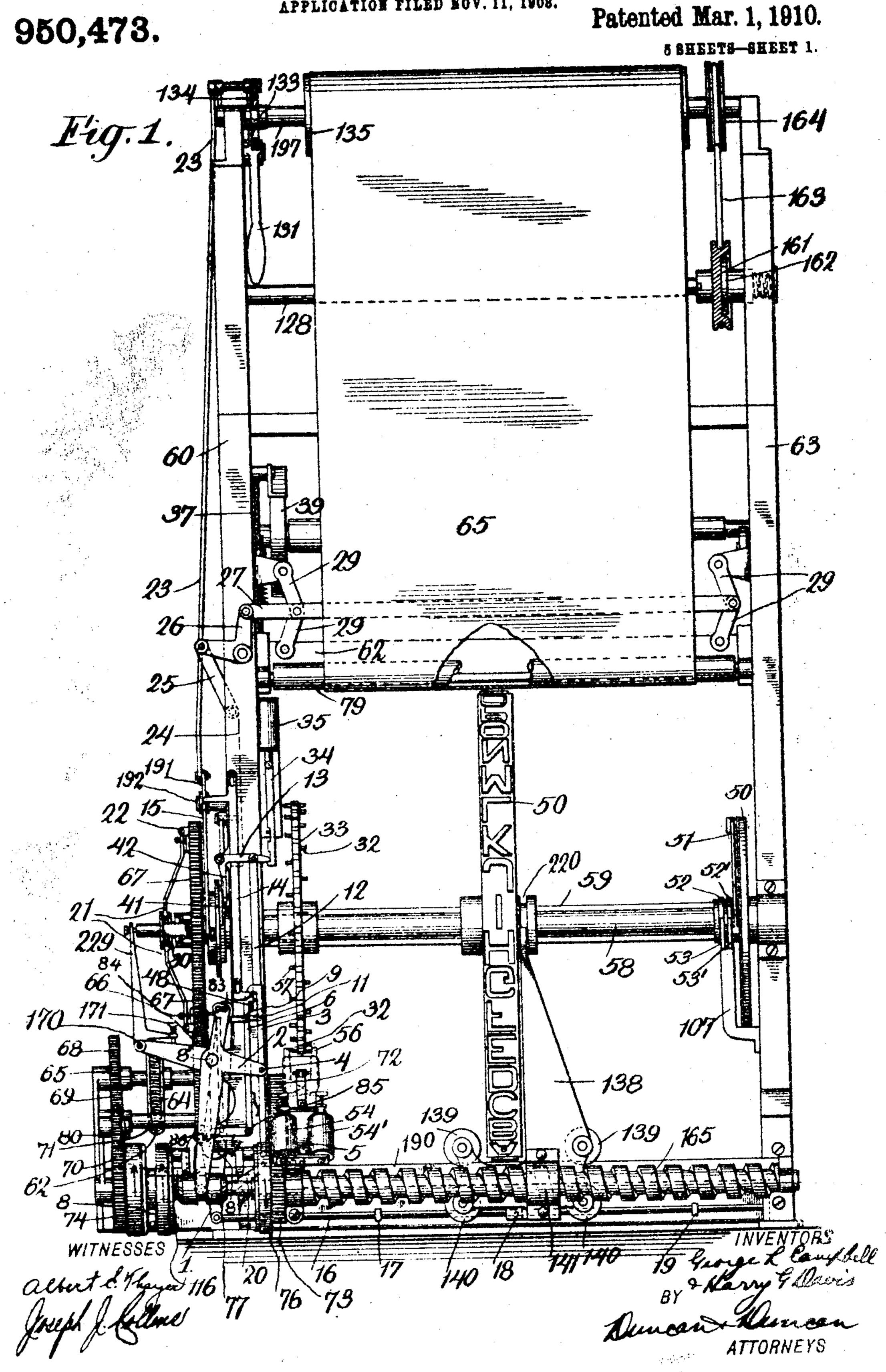
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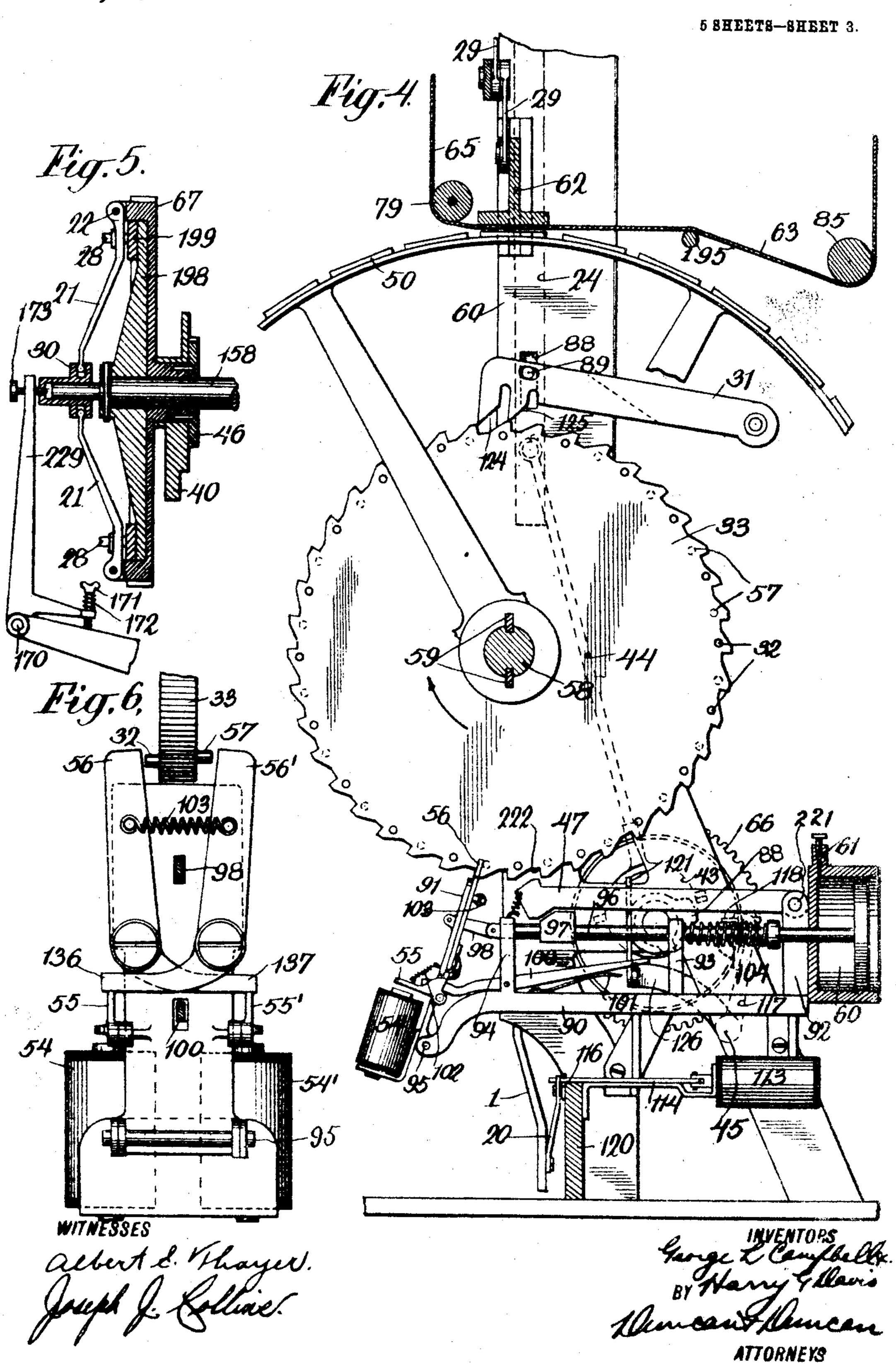
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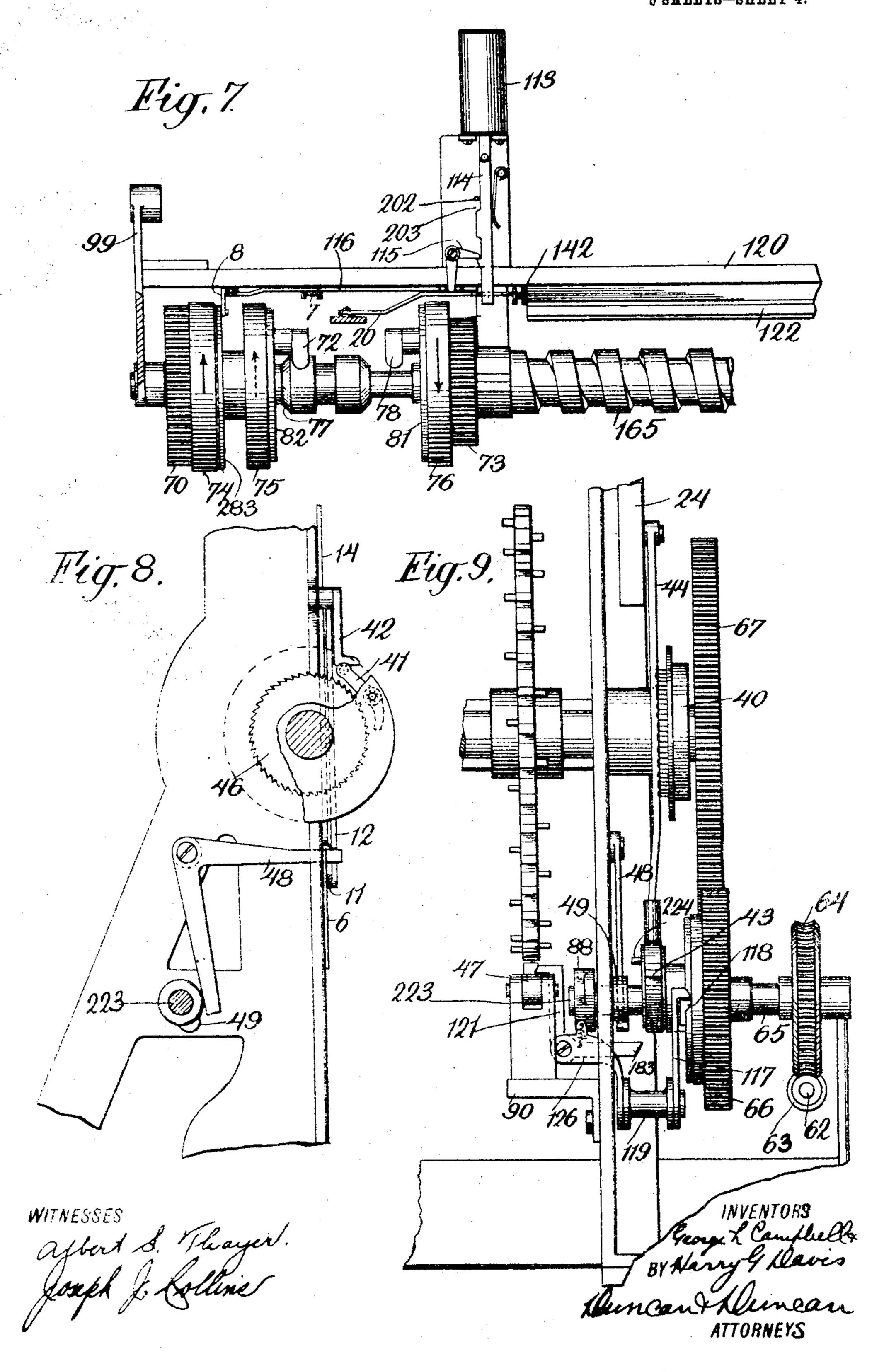
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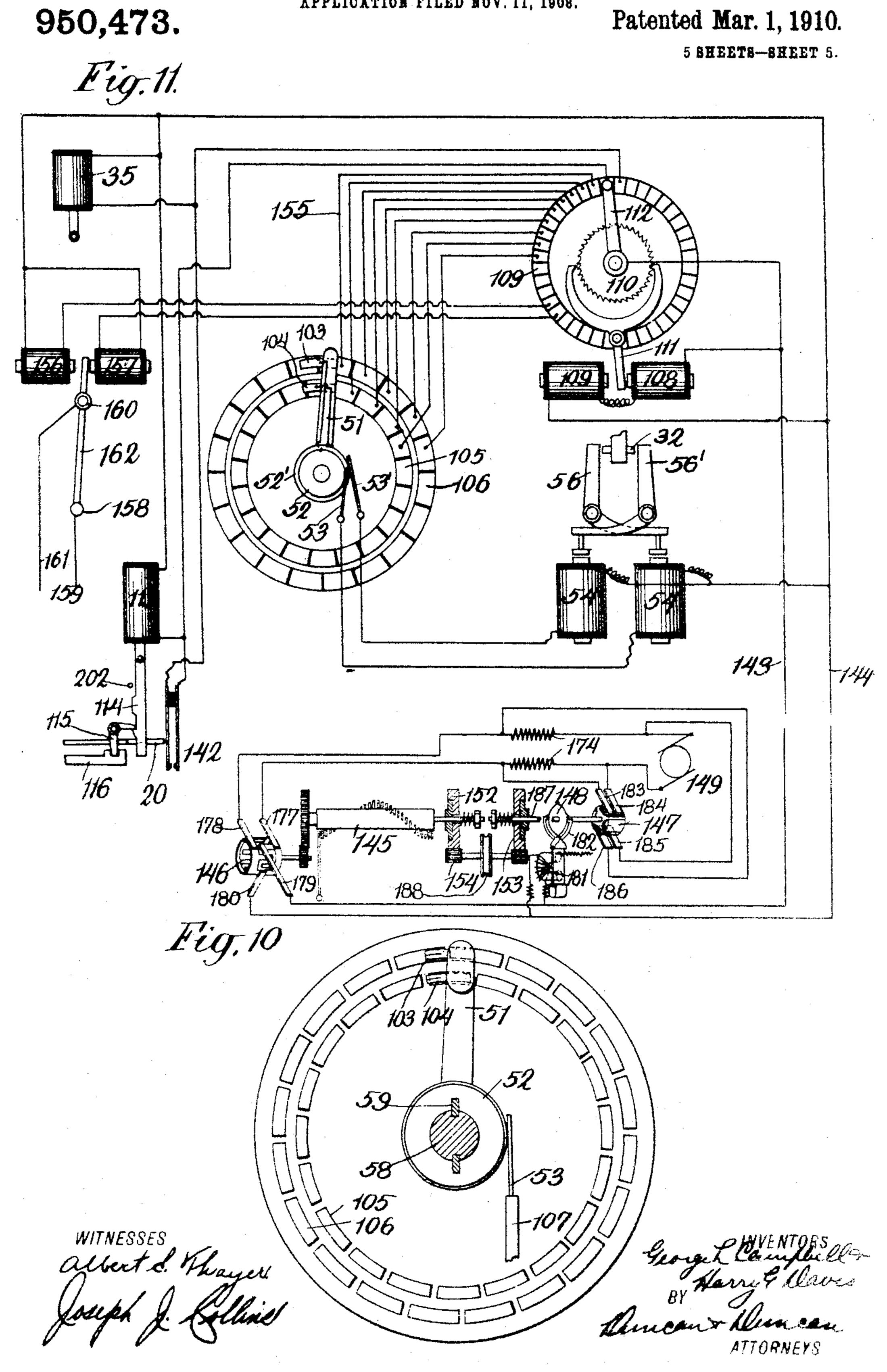
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that we, George L. Campbell and Harry G. Davis, citizens of the United States, and residents of Williamsport, Ly-5 coming county, Pennsylvania, have made certain new and useful Inventions Relating to Telegraph Bulletin-Printers, of which the following is a specification, taken in connection with the accompanying drawings, form-

10 ing part of the same.

This invention relates to telegraph bulletin printers and relates especially to telegraph printers suitable for use in printing newspaper bulletins and the like in page form on 15 a continuous web of paper and in which the type may be as large as several inches in height, such printers being controlled if desired by a single electrical circuit over which well known alternating or other electrical 20 impulses are sent out from a transmitting instrument.

In the accompanying drawings showing in a somewhat diagrammatic manner an illustrative embodiment of this invention 25 and in which the same reference numeral refers to similar parts in the several figures, Figure 1 is a front elevation. Fig. 2 is a side elevation. Fig. 3 is a partial side sectional view showing the inking devices. ³⁰ Fig. 4 is an enlarged transverse sectional view showing the index latching and printing devices. Fig. 5 is a detail view showing the type shaft friction clutch. Fig. 6 is a detail view showing the latching devices. 35 Fig. 7 is a detail view showing the feed and return gear. Fig. 8 is a detail side section showing printing and actuating devices. Fig. 9 is a partial front view thereof. Fig. 10 is a detail showing the contact plate and 40 arm; and Fig. 11 is a circuit diagram.

In the illustrative embodiment of this invention shown in the drawings a rigid frame pieces 60, 63 connected by suitable trans-45 verse braces, including the feed rail 190 adjacent the bottom, as shown in Fig. 1. The shaft 297 of the web roll 127 may as indicated in Fig. 2 be mounted on suitable bearings such as the friction rolls 125 supported 50 in brackets on the frame. The continuous paper web 63 which may have a width of several feet if desired is preferably led around a suitable floating or other tension device, such for example, as the tension roll i

85 mounted in suitable arms 36 on the shaft 55 176 which may be loosely mounted in bearings in the frame so as to allow this floating roll to oscillate freely in the web loop. A brake 39 of any desired description may be mounted to cooperate with a suitable brake 60 drum 130 on the web roll shaft 297 and the brake rod 37 may be pivotally or otherwise connected with the brake and have a suitable adjustable spring 38 normally holding the brake in engagement with the drum with 65 the desired force. As the paper web 63 is withdrawn by suitable feeding devices the loop in which the floating tension roll 85 rests is shortened and the tension roll raised until its swinging arm 36 engages the brake 70 rod and lifts the rod and connected brake free from the drum, whereupon the weight of the tension roll withdraws additional paper from the web roll until the brake again comes into engagement. In this way 75 the paper is always kept under a definite tension and the undesirable strains incident to starting a large roll of paper are avoided.

As is indicated in Fig. 4, the paper web may be passed over the guide rod 195 and 80 under the printing platen 62 coöperating with the type wheel 50 carrying the printing characters. Then the paper web after passing around the roll 79 may be carried upward to form an exposed bulletin face 65 of 85 the desired extent and then pass over the feed roll 135. The shaft 197 of this roll mounted adjacent the upper end of the frame may carry the feeding ratchet 133 with which the holding pawl 136 may en- 90 gage and also the feeding pawl 134 mounted on a feed arm 194 swinging about the shaft 197 so as to intermittently feed the paper forward an amount corresponding to a line of the printed matter. A gripping roll 132 95 may be mounted in suitable grip levers 131 for the machine may be formed of the side on the frame and forced against the feed roll to the desired extent to give a good gripping action thereto, this gripping roll being held in adjustment by a suitable wing 100 nut 196 shown in dotted lines in Fig. 2. The paper web may if desired be disposed of by being wound upon the winding roll 129 having the winding shaft 128 mounted in the frame and provided with a suitable fric- 105 tional drive connected with the feed roll or other part of the machine.

The winding pulley 161 loose on the winding

shaft 128 is indicated in Fig. 1 as having the friction clutch or disk 162 pressed into engagement therewith by a suitable spring so that the belt 163 connecting this winding 5 pulley with a corresponding pulley 164 on the shaft 197 of the feed roll tends to overwind the winding shaft and roll, suitable slip taking place at the friction clutch so that the web is always wound on the wind-10 ing roll 129 as fast as delivered by the feed

roll and kept at the desired tension.

The type shaft 58 may be mounted in suitable bearings in the machine frame and carry rigidly secured thereto the index wheel 15 33 adjacent one end and a suitable contact arm 51 adjacent the other if desired, this arm as indicated in Figs. 10 and 11 being ! provided with the desired number of suitable 20 lar rows of contacts on the contact plate or 1 of course connected by the wires 155 with 85 25 rapid operation of the machine. For the 112 to rotate around the contacts when the 96 same reason the index devices are also preferably provided with a plurality of annularly arranged rows of stop devices, such as the stop pins 32 and 57, for example, which 30 as indicated may be arranged on either side of a single index wheel if desired, which may also be provided with a corresponding ery as indicated in Fig. 4.

104 may cooperate with the inner ring of contacts 105 and the contact spring 103 also mounted on the contact arm 51 may similarly coöperate with the outer ring of con-40 tacts 106 of the selector. The spring 103 may as indicated be connected with the commutator ring 52 with which the brush 53 engages to energize the latch magnet 54 and in a similar way the contact spring 104 may be | 45 connected with the commutator ring 52' with geared or otherwise connected with a suit- 110 which the brush 53' engages to energize the

latch magnet 54' at the desired time.

As indicated in Fig. 1, the type wheel 50 may be slidingly mounted on the type shaft 59 58 and be rotated in unison therewith by the 55 to properly support the characters on its periphery. It is of course apparent, however, that when the letters are as much as a couple | of inches in height the type wheel must have 60 or more such characters as is necessary in ordinary printing.

65 number of stop pins, notches or other stop | dicated are connected in shunt around the 130

devices on the index wheel. The sunflower controller, however, is preferably provided with several additional control scontacts which may as indicated in Fig. 11 be wired directly to the control devices of the ma- 70 chine, such for example, as the motor controlling magnets 156 and 157 for holding the switch lever 162 in such position as to complete the circuit between suitable contacts 158 and 160 in the motor power or control 75 circuit 159, 161. Similar contacts from the controller may also operate the paper feed magnet 35, the spacing magnet 113 and so forth. This controller is of the regular sunflower construction employed in printing so telegraphy having the escapement ratchet 110 to operate the controller arm 112 engaging the ring of contacts 109, all the concontact springs to coöperate with the annu- facts of the selector or contact plates being selector. A plurality of rings of contacts the corresponding number of the controller and contact springs are preferably mounted | contacts. Suitable escapement magnets, such so that each contact may occupy a greater has 108, 109 may of course operate the escapeangular space and thus permit the more ment pawl 111 to allow the controller arm escapement magnets are actuated by the intermittent or alternating electrical impulses usually employed. Such impulses may be sent out over the line wires 143, 144 connected to a number of printers to be simul- 95 taneously actuated by transmitting mechanism diagrammatically indicated in Fig. number of notches 222 adjacent its periph- 11 as comprising a pin cylinder 145 having a spirally arranged series of pins on its pe-As indicated in Fig. 11 the contact spring | riphery corresponding to the number of contacts on the controller. This cylinder is connected with a drive pulley 188 through the pinion 154 and gear 152 having a friction clutch connection with the shaft of the pin cylinder so that this cylinder normally tends 105 to rotate and is continuously rotated except when one of its pins is engaged by the corresponding key of the key-board, only one key being indicated. This pin cylinder may be able commutator 146 engaged by the brushes 177, 178 supplied with current from a generator 149 through a circuit in which the resistances 174 are normally included. The brushes 179, 180 bearing on this commutator 115 splines 59 coöperating with corresponding 146 thus normally send out over the line slots in the hub of the type wheel, as shown wires 143, 144 alternating impulses of modin Fig. 4, this wheel being preferably of the ferate intensity sufficient to actuate the sunlightest possible construction and material flower controllers on each instrument connected with the line. The pulley 188 also 120 may be similarly connected with the operating shaft 187 on which the commutator 147 and detent wheel 148 are mounted and norconsiderable size and weight to carry forty—mally tend to rotate. The operating magnet 181 in the line circuit is connected with 125 the spring-actuated pawl 182 coöperating The number of characters on the type, with the detent so as to accurately stop the wheel preferably correspond with the num- detent and commutator at intervals of a parber of contacts on the selector and with the tial revolution. The brushes 183, 184 as in-

resistance 174 in the generator lead connected with the brush 177 and the brushes 185, 186 are similarly connected in shunt around the resistance 174 in the generator lead con-5 nected with the brush 178. In the position indicated these brushes 183, 184, and so forth, are in engagement with insulating portions or sectors on the commutator 147. When, however, the pin cylinder is brought 10 to rest the prolonged electrical impulse in the line wires with which the operating magnet 181 is connected energizes that magnet and attracts its armature and the connected pawl 182 allowing the detent 148 to rotate 15 through a partial revolution so as to bring . a conducting portion of the commutator 147 into engagement with the brushes 183 and so forth, thus short-circuiting the resistances 174 and sending a correspondingly stronger 29 operating electrical impulse through the line wires to the controller of each instrument, this impulse also passing through the controller arm which is then on the proper contact to the corresponding contact of the se-25 lector or control device in that particular circuit.

Each printer may be operated by an electric or other motor having a worm 63 on its shaft 62 as indicated in Figs. 1 and 9, this 30 worm engaging a coöperating worm wheel 64 on the drive shaft 65. This drive shaft which is thus uniformly rotated as long 35 gear 66 meshing with a cooperating gear 67 clutch shell into driving engagement with 100 operating with a clutch spider 198 keyed | shell 75 being thus engaged so that the feed desired form of adjustable friction clutch lution when the feed clutch latch 8 is disenmay be used to give the type shaft a con- gaged to allow the stop motion clutch 74 to 105 stant torque from the drive-shaft and con- operate through one revolution, thus adnections indicated, a suitable clutch com- vancing the feed carriage and connected prising the clutch arms 21 pivoted about | the pins 22 and provided with the adjustable studs 28 to engage and force the clutch ring 199 home against the opposing face of the gear wheel 67. These arms may be simultaneously operated by the connected bar 16 may be pivotally connected to the clutch head 30 supported on the end of the lower end of the control lever 1 which may ⁵⁰ type shaft 58 and held in the proper posi-| be pivoted about the pin 81 in the frame 115 tion by the adjustable screw 173 in the end and be connected with the return clutch leof the tightening lever 229 which may be ver 2 mounted on the pin 8' by any desired the frame and this lever may have its free | dom of movement between these parts, the ⁵⁵ end engaged by a suitable tightening nut control lever being provided with the pin 120 in Figs. 1 and 5. In this way the rotative | clutch lever 2 for this purpose if desired. justed while the machine is in operation by 60 operating the tightening nut 171.

riage as indicated may be mounted on the feed rail 190 with which suitable guide wheels 139, 140 may cooperate and may feed the type wheel 50 longitudinally along its shaft by a suitable lug or flange cooperat- 70 ing with the annular recess 220 in the hub of the type wheel. The drive-shaft 65 may be provided with the gear 68 meshing with the gear 69 on the counter-shaft 71 as indicated in Figs. 1 and 2, the gear 69 also 75 meshing with the intermediate pinion 80 engaging the gear 70 on the clutch shell 74 rotating in the direction of the arrows in Figs. 1 and 7 and loosely mounted on the feed shaft 165. The counter-shaft 71 car- so ries at its other end the gear 72 shown in dotted lines in Fig. 2 meshing with the gear 73 on the return clutch shell 76, thus rotated at higher speed in the direction of the arrows in Figs. 1 and 7 and loosely mounted 85 on the feed shaft 165. The clutch spider 283 of the one-revolution stop clutch of any desired form is loosely mounted on the feed shaft 165 and carries the feed clutch shell 75 which is rotated in the direction of the 90 dotted arrows in Figs. 1 and 7 whenever the feed clutch latch 8 is disengaged. The clutch spiders 81, 82 are rigidly mounted on the feed shaft 165 and carry the clutch levers 72, 78 of these friction clutches of ex- 95 panding ring or any other desired well known form. The clutch shifter 77 is as the motor is operated by the motor con-adapted to engage one or the other of these trol magnets may be provided with a clutch levers and throw the corresponding loosely mounted on the type shaft 58 and co- the feed shaft, in this case the feed clutch on this shaft, as indicated in Fig. 5. Any shaft 165 will be rotated through one revotype wheel through the space corresponding to one letter. The control bar 16 is slidingly mounted in the frame and car- 110 ries the collars 17, 19 coöperating with the stop 18 on the feed carriage. This control pivoted about the pin 170 supported from means, preferably allowing a slight free-171 and interposed spring 172, as indicated | 83 operating in a suitable slot 84 in the

force on the type shaft may be readily ad- As indicated in Fig. 1 the lower end of the return clutch lever 2 engages the clutch shifter 77 so that when the type wheel and 125 The feed shaft 165 may be provided with its feed carriage reach the end of the line a long pitch screw, as indicated in Fig. 1, the collar 19 and control bar 16 are operand mounted in the lower portion of the ated, thus operating the control lever 1 and frame so as to cooperate with the nut 141 | loosely connected return clutch lever 2 so on the feed carriage 138. This feed car- that the shifter is disengaged from the feed 130

clutch lever and brought into engagement | of connection between the cushioning dewith the clutch lever on the return clutch operatively engaging the return clutch shell | rod 96, serving to force upward into the 76 with the feed shaft 165 and rotating the | corresponding notch 222 in the index wheel 5 same in the direction indicated by the ar- | the locking pawl 47 which may be pivotally 70 row to rapidly return the type wheel and its | mounted on the pin 221 in the projection 92 feed carriage to the beginning of the line. of the frame. As the locking pawl 47 rises Thereupon the engagement of the collar 17 it carries up the printing hook 121 normally by the stop 18 throws the control bar and ploosely hooked over this pawl as indicated 10 control lever in the other direction, return- in Figs. 4 and 9, this hook being pivotally 75 ing the clutch lever 2 to the position indi- or otherwise loosely connected with the hook 15 clutched to the feed shaft 165 for regular 1117 coöperating with the one-revolution stop 85 tached.

ating with the index wheel may comprise loose extension or cam shaft 223 with the 20 the latch plate 91 pivoted about the pin 95 | drive shaft so as to make one revolution 85 in the extension or bracket 94 of the frame. I therewith, the cam 88 on this shaft engaging as indicated in Figs. 4 and 6. This latch and forcing down the inner end of the latch plate may carry one or more latches 56, 56' detacher 100 against its setting spring 101 pivoted thereto and vieldingly pressed in- so that its outer end rises and engages the 25 ward by a suitable spring, such as 103. tail of the latch which has been operated 90 Suitable latch magnets 54, 54' may be mount-1 and forces the same upward so as to swing ed on the latch plate and provided with piv- the corresponding latch outward into the inoted armatures 55, 55' normally held up in operative position indicated in Fig. 6, so no as 102, in which position the upward exten- upward and hold it in this position. The 95 35 plate may be connected with any desired also oscillating the lever actuator 48 shown 160 40 shown in Fig. 4, a suitable spring 104 en- as indicated in Figs. 1 and 4. The link 25 105 45 course adjusted by the throttling or adjust- | various points along the same so as to force 110 ing valve 61.

When through the controller and selector devices previously described in connection with Fig. 11 one of the selector 50 contacts 106 for instance is energized, the 55 gized contact. This latch magnet thereupon, pin 89 on the printing bar 24 projecting 120 32 on that side of the index wheel 33. The 66 stop pin swings the latch and connected side of the wheel are adapted to cooperate 125 latch plate outward, the inertia of the index without undesirable shock, any desired form the release of the operating latch as indi-

vices, such as the cam 97 on the cushioning cated in the drawings so that the shifter 77 lever 126 as shown in Figs. 4 and 9, this is brought back into engagement with the lever 126 being secured to the sleeve 119, the feed clutch shell 75 which is once more other end of which carries the printing latch feeding when the feed clutch latch 8 is de- printing clutch 118 coöperating with the drive shaft 65. When this latch is released The stopping or latching devices cooper- the stop clutch automatically clutches the retracted position by suitable springs, such that the corresponding armature can swing sions of the armatures rest below the lower releasing pin 224 mounted on this cam shaft extensions or tails 136, 137 of the latches so thereupon engages the hook finger 183 swingas to hold them in the disengaged inoper- ing the hook 121 outward away from the ative position shown in Fig. 6. The latch locking pawl, the cam 49 on this cam shaft cushioning device such as the cushioning in Figs. 8 and 9. The printing eccentric 43 cylinder 60, the piston in which may have on the cam shaft is also simultaneously operits connected cushioning rod 96 connected ated oscillating the eccentric rod 44 and conwith the latch plate by the pivoted link 98 nected printing bar 24 mounted in the frame gaging the outlet end 93 and normally tend- serves to connect the upper end of this bar ing to return the cushioning rod and con- 24 with the rock lever 26 pivoted to the nected piston into the position indicated, the printing rod 27 to operate the toggle levers cushioning action on the piston being of 29 connected with the printing platen 62 at this printing platen and the paper beneath the same as indicated in Fig. 4 down into printing engagement with the cooperating type on the type wheel 50. If desired, a suitable aliner may be employed to insure 115 spring 103 carried by the contact arm 51 | the accurate alinement of the index and type and the connected latch magnet 54 is cor- wheels and if desired a pivoted aliner 31 respondingly energized when the contact may be used for this purpose and may be spring passes into engagement with the ener- operated by a suitable connection, such as the instantly draws down its armature 55, re- | through a suitable slot 88 in the frame memleasing the latch 56' which immediately ber and coöperating with a suitable slot in swings inward into the path of the stop pin the aliner to force the same downward so that the inclined notches 124, 125 on either with the stop pins 32, 57 thereon and force and type wheels and connected parts being them into the narrow upper portions of these absorbed in the cushioning devices, so that notches in which they lie when the printing the type wheel is quickly brought to a stop contact takes place. The latch plate, after

cated, is of course forced backward into its normal position indicated in Fig. 4 by the cushioning spring 104 and the locking pawl 47 descends after the cam 97 has been dis-5 engaged therefrom so that the printing hook 121 may be swung into place over the same as indicated in Fig. 9 by a suitable spring shown in dotted lines.

The actuating lever 48 which as indicated 10 is oscillated every time a character is printed 15 lower end to the feed hook lever 7 loosely en- the feed arm will be oscillated and the feed so 20 gagement with the feed stop clutch 283 when | tion whenever the paper feed clutch lever 85 25 in Fig. 7 also causes a similar spacing when | sired a pivotal connection with the armature 90 pressed into engagement with the detaching eral extension of the hook bar 14 indicated 95 35 The feed bar is thus longitudinally moved larly raises the clutch lever hook 3 pivoted 100 carried forward one space when the spacing magnet is actuated, the spacing bar 114 being disengaged from the spacing lever when 40 the detaching incline 203 engages the deward against the action of its spring.

scribed when the type wheel and carriage are lines to exhibit the printed matter thereon, 110 feed safety bar 20 indicated in Figs. 1,7 and 50 trol lever 1. This bar 20 may be provided the clutch lever hook 3 and in the path of 115 55 lever has been swung outward by the con- upper end is swung out of the path of the 120 trol bar 16 as the feed carriage and type wheel reach the end of the line. Under these circumstances, the safety feed bar 20 will also engage and close the spring contacts 60 142 so that if under these conditions the controller arm 112 assumed the position indicated in Fig. 11 to actuate the spacing magnet, the spacing bar actuated by this magnet would be prevented from operating the feed 65 bar and space feed and the closure of the

contacts 142 would thereupon energize the paper feed magnet 35 to feed the paper up one line and return the feed carriage and type wheel to the beginning of the line as will be described.

The oscillating feed arm 194 described in connection with Fig. 2 as intermittently rotating the feed roll 135 is pivoted by the pin 195 to the connector 23 which may be pivoted at its lower end to the feed lever 191 75 is provided with a free end normally pro- mounted on the pin 192 in the frame and jecting beneath the feed hook 6 shown in carrying a suitable cam follower 193 at its Fig. 1 and somewhat diagrammatically in lower end to cooperate with the feed cam 40 Fig. 8. This feed hook is pivoted at its so that for every revolution of the feed cam gaging at its lower end the feed bar 116 roll advanced through the space of one shown in Figs. 1 and 7, this feed bar carry- printed line. The feed cam 40 as indicated ing at its outer end the feed clutch latch 8 in Figs. 8 and 9 is operated by a one-revoluand thus withdrawing the same from en- tion stop clutch 46 of any desired constructhe actuating lever 48 is oscillated, so as to 42 is withdrawn from the pawl 41 of the feed forward the type wheel and its car-| clutch. The arm 13 of this lever 42 pivoted riage one space every time a character is to the frame coöperates as indicated in Fig. printed. The spacing magnet 113 indicated 11 with the paper feed bar 34 having if deactuated by the corresponding contact on of the paper feed magnet 35 so as to give it the sunflower controller. This magnet or a momentary oscillation when the magnet solengid may have its armature pivotally is energized in the same general way as the connected with the spacing bar 114 normally spacing magnet described. The upper latpin 202 and spacing lever 115 having its in Fig. 1 as slidingly mounted on the frame other end loosely connected with the feed member 60 rests, as is indicated over the bar 116 by being located in a suitable notch paper feed lever 191 so that when this lever or slot therein, as illustrated in Fig. 11. is actuated the hook bar is raised and simito cause the type wheel and carriage to be by the pin 4 to the extension of the return clutch lever 2. In this way when the paper is fed up a line the return clutch is operated by its lever and the type wheel and carriage return to the beginning of the line. In order 105 taching pin 202 so as to swing the bar out-; to prevent a feed of the carriage in this direction when the feed carriage has already In order to prevent the actuation of the been returned to the beginning of the line as spacing magnet and connections just de- when the paper is being fed up a number of at the end of the line a suitable safety de- a suitable return guard may be provided in vice may be employed in the form of the the form, for instance, of the projecting guard or finger 5 shown in dotted lines in 11. as being pivotally connected to the con- | Fig. 1 secured to the lower depending end of with suitable projections or lugs loosely en- | the feed carriage. Thus when the feed cargaging the lower end of the spacing bar 114 | riage is at the beginning of the line the reso as to swing the same out of engagement turn guard is engaged thereby and the clutch with the spacing lever 115 when the control lever hook swung about its pin 4 so that its hook bar 14 and kept in this inoperative position so long as the feed carriage is at the beginning of the line.

In the position indicated in Fig. 1, the end of the actuating lever 48 lies as indi- 125 cated beneath the feed hook 6 so that as described the oscillation of this actuating lever when any letter is printed raises the feed hook and advances the feed carriage and type wheel one space along the line. 130

When, however, the carriage has reached tacts, a contact arm having a plurality of the last space in the line the collar 19 on the control bar is engaged by the stop 18, thereby slightly moving the control bar 16 5 and connected control lever 1, the pin 83 swinging in the slot 84 in the return clutch lever 2 without moving the lever. This movement of the control lever correspondingly moves the links 9 and 11 pivoted to the feed hook 6 and to the paper feed hook type wheel from said feed shaft; feed gear 75 extent so that the end of the actuating lever, with a set of stops on the index wheel, a 48 when it rises engages the paper feed hook—latch magnet actuating each latch and con-80 return the carriage to the beginning of the line.

acters whenever for example the doctor roll 121 engages the same, this doctor roll being if desired mounted in suitable swinging arms 124 and pressed between the supply and inking rolls by the springs 123.

Having described this invention in connection with an illustrative embodiment thereof, to the details of which disclosure the invention is not of course to be limited, what is claimed as new and what is desired | to be secured by Letters Patent is set forth

in the appended claims. 1. In telegraph printers, a paper web supply, a paper feeding device to feed said paper and form an exposed face thereon. a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional gearing normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with notches on said type shaft, rows of stop pins on both sides of said index wheel, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and longitudinally movable there-

contact springs mounted on said type shaft to engage said selector contacts, a sunflower controller adapted to be connected with line wires energized by electrical impulses, the 70 contacts of said controller being electrically connected with said selector contacts, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft and type wheel to longitudinally move said 12 whose upper end is pivoted to the paper to operate said feed shaft from the drive feed clutch lever 42, 13. In this way these | shaft, a pivoted latch plate, a plurality of hooks are laterally displaced to a sufficient | latches on said latch plate each cooperating 12 instead of the feed hook 6. Thus when | nected with the corresponding selector cona character is printed at the end of the line | tact spring, a detacher to detach said latches instead of feeding forward the type wheel from said stops and reset the same, a pneuand carriage another space, the paper feed | matic cushioning cylinder, a piston in said mechanism is actuated by the actuating cylinder connected with said latch plate and 85 lever 48 through the connections described a connected locking pawl cooperating with and the return clutch mechanism is also the notches of said index wheel, a printing operated through hook bar 14, clutch lever | hook coöperating with said locking pawl, a hook 3 and return clutch lever 2 so as to printing stop clutch operated by said printing hook, a cam shaft controlled by said 90 clutch, releasing connections between said Any desired inking mechanism may be printing hook and said clutch, a lever acemployed to properly ink the character funtor operated from said shaft and means printed upon the web. If desired, this may on said cam shaft to operate the resetting be accomplished by keeping the characters—device, a printing platen cooperating with 95 on the type wheel constantly inked by suit-, said paper web and connections to operate able inking devices mounted on the carriage is said platen from the printing clutch, a paper and indicated in Fig. 3. The ink fountain, feeder to actuate the paper feed device, 166 is shown as supported from the car-, means comprising a paper feed hook to riage 138 and provided with a supply roll | operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to 100 120 journaled within the same. The inking | operate the feed gear, means comprising a roll 122 may as indicated be loosely jour- | feed hook to operate said feed bar, control naled in the fountain by having its journals means operated from said carriage to bring mounted in suitable slots therein so that it said feed hook and said paper feed hook can properly engage the type wheel char- selectively into cooperation with the ac- 105 tuator, and return guard means operated at the beginning of a line to prevent the return gear being operated.

2. In telegraph printers, a paper web supply, a paper feeding device to feed said 110 paper and form an exposed face thereon, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional gearing normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with notches on said type shaft, rows 115 of stop pins on both sides of said index wheel, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and longitudinally movable thereon, a selector cooperating with said type shaft and 120 having a plurality of rows of contacts, a contact arm having a plurality of contact springs mounted on said type shaft to engage said selector contacts, a sunflower controller adapted to be connected with line 125 wires energized by electrical impulses, the contacts of said controller being electrically connected with said selector contacts, a feed on, a selector cooperating with said type | shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft shaft and having a plurality of rows of con- | and the type wheel to longitudinally move 130

nected with said selector and adapted to be energized by electrical impulses, a pivoted latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each coöperating with a set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet 73 actuating each latch and connected with the corresponding selector contact device, a detacher to detach said latches from said stops and reset the same, a pneumatic cushion cylinder coöperating with said latch plate, a 1/5 piston in said cylinder connected with said actuator operated from said clutch, a print- latch plate and a locking pawl connected ing platen coöperating with said paper web, with and actuated by said cushioning

cylinder.

5. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a ¿c type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel having notches and a plurality of rows of stops connected with said 20 bar, and control means operated from said type shaft, a type wheel provided with char- 85 carriage to bring said feed hook and said lacters mounted on said type shaft to rotate paper feed hook selectively into cooperation | therewith and be longitudinally movable thereon, a selector having a plurality of sets 3. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a of contacts, a contact member connected 25 type shaft, frictional gearing normally tend- with said type shaft and carrying a plural- 90 ing to rotate said type shaft from said drive ity of contact devices to coöperate with said shaft, an index wheel provided with notches sets of contacts, a controller connected with on said type shaft, rows of stop pins on both | said selector and adapted to be energized sides of said index wheel, a type wheel by electrical impulses, a pivoted latch plate, provided with characters mounted on said a plurality of latches on said latch plate 95 type shaft to rotate therewith and longi-leach coöperating with a set of stops on the tudinally move thereon, a selector cooperat- index wheel, a latch magnet actuating each ing with said type shaft and having a plu- latch and connected with the corresponding rality of rows of contacts, a contact arm selector contact device, a detacher to detach 35 having a plurality of contact springs mount-! said latches from said stops and reset the 100 ed on said type shaft to engage said selector same, a pneumatic cushioning cylinder cocontacts, a sunflower controller adapted to operating with said latch plate, a piston in said cylinder connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl connected with and actu-

6. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a an index wheel having notches and a plurality of rows of stops connected with said 110 type shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate thereon, a selector having a plurality of sets of contacts, a contact member connected 115 with said type shaft and carrying a pluralactuated by said cushioning cylinder. ity of contact devices to coöperate with said 4. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a sets of contacts, a controller connected with ing to rotate said type shaft from said drive by electrical impulses, a movable latch plate, 120 a plurality of latches on said latch plate each coöperating with a set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet actuating each contact device of the selector, a cushioning 125 a locking pawl to engage the index wheel

7. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a 130

said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a movable latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each co-5 operating with a set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet controlling each latch and connected with a corresponding selector contact device and a cushioning device connected with said latch plate, a printing to clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the latch mechanism, an connections to operate said platen from the 15 printing clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, means comprising a feed hook to operate said feed with the actuator.

be connected with line wires energized by electrical impulses, the contacts of said con-40 troller being electrically connected with said ated by said cushioning cylinder. selector contacts, a pivoted latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each type shaft, connections normally tending to coöperating with a set of stops on the index rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, wheel, a latch magnet actuating each latch 45 and connected with the corresponding selector contact device, a detacher to detach said latches from said stops and reset the same, a pneumatic cushioning cylinder co- therewith and be longitudinally movable operating with said latch plate, a piston in 50 said cylinder connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl connected with and

type shaft, frictional gearing normally tend- said selector and adapted to be energized shaft, an index wheel provided with notches on said type shaft, rows of stop pins on both sides of said index wheel, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type latch and connected with the corresponding 60 shaft to rotate therewith and longitudinally movable thereon, a selector having a plu- member connected with said latch plate and rality of sets of contacts, a contact member connected with said type shaft and carrying operatively connected with said cushioning a plurality of contact devices to coöperate | device. with said sets of contacts, a controller con-

type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel having notches and a plurality of rows of stops connected with said 5 type shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and be longitudinally movable thereon, a selector having a plurality of sets of contacts, a contact member connected 10 with said type shaft and carrying a plurality of contact devices to cooperate with said sets of contacts, a controller connected with said selector and adapted to be energized by electrical impulses, a movable latch plate, • 15 a plurality of latches on said latch plate each \ cooperating with a set of stops on the index | wheel, a latch magnet controlling each latch and connected with a corresponding selector contact device and a cushiening de-20 vice connected with said latch plate.

8. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft. an index wheel having notches and a plu-25 rality of rows of stops connected with said type shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and be longitudinally movable thereon, a selector having a plurality of sets 30 of contacts corresponding in number with the stops on the index wheel and the characters on the type wheel, a contact member connected with said type shaft and carrying a plurality of contact devices to cooperate 35 with said sets of contacts, a controller connected with said selector and having a number of contacts in excess of said selector contacts to provide control contacts and circuits for the spacing, paper feeding and mo-40 tor control devices, a movable latch plate a plurality of latches on said latch plate each coöperating with a set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet actuating each latch and connected with the corresponding con-45 tact device of the selector, a cushioning member connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl to engage the index wheel operatively connected with said cushioning device.

9. In telegraph printers, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel having a plurality of rows of stops connected with said type shaft, a type wheel ⁵⁵ provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby and move longitudinally thereof, a selector having a plurality of sets of contacts corresponding in number with the stops on the index wheel and the characters on the type wheel, a contact member connected with said type shaft and carrying a plurality of contact devices to coöperate with said sets of contacts, a controller connected with said selector and 65 having a number of contacts in excess of said

selector contacts to provide control contacts and circuits for the printer, a movable latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each coöperating with a set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet controlling 70 each latch and connected with a corresponding selector contact device and a cushioning device connected with said latch plate.

10. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally 75 tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a type wheel having characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a se- 80 lector having contacts corresponding in number with the type wheel characters, a contact member connected with the type shaft and coöperating with the selector contacts, a controller connected with said selec- 85 tor and having a number of contacts in excess of the selector contacts to provide control contacts and circuits for the printer, a movable latch plate, a latch on said latch plate cooperating with the stops on the index 90 wheel, means connected with the selector to actuate said latch, a cushioning device connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl engaging said index wheel and operatively connected with said cushioning device. 95

11. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a 100 type wheel having characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a selector having contacts, a contact member connected with said type shaft and coöperating with said contacts, and a controller 105 having contacts connected to the selector contacts and adapted to be actuated by electrical impulses, a movable latch plate, a latch on said latch plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, means connected with 110 the selector to actuate said latch, a cushioning device connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl engaging said index wheel and operatively connected with said cushioning device.

12. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a 120 type wheel having characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a selector having contacts, a contact member connected with said type shaft and coöperating with said contacts, and a controller 125 having contacts connected to the selector contacts and adapted to be actuated by electrical impulses, a latch plate, a latch on said latch plate cooperating with the stops on the index wheel and normally tending to move 130

into engagement therewith, means connected with the selector to actuate said latch, and resetting means to disengage said latch from said stops and reset the same.

5 13. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a web roll supplying a web of paper, a tension device for said web, a paper feed device operated from said drive shaft to feed said web and form an exposed bulletin face, a 10 type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters 15 thereon mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and move longitudinally thereon, an electrical controller and connected means engaging said stops for selectively controlling said type wheel and printing characters 20 therefrom.

14. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with 25 stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and move longitudinally thereon, a selector having contacts adapted to be 30 selectively energized, a contact device connected to said type shaft to coöperate with said contacts, a latch plate, a latch on said latch plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, means connected with the se-35 lector to actuate said latch, and resetting means to disengage said latch from said stops and reset the same.

15. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally 40 tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft to ro-45 tate therewith and move longitudinally thereon, a selector having contacts adapted to be selectively energized, a contact device connected to said type shaft to coöperate with said contacts, a movable latch plate, 50 a latch on said latch plate coöperating with | selector and having a number of contacts in 115 the stops on the index wheel, means con- excess of the selector contacts to provide a cushioning device connected with said a movable latch plate, a latch on said latch latch plate and a locking pawl engaging 55 said index wheel and operatively connected with said cushioning device.

16. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a web roll supplying a web of paper, a tension device for said web, a paper feed device 60 operated from said drive shaft to feed said web and form an exposed bulletin face, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type 65 shaft, a controller and means for selectively

controlling said type wheel and printing characters therefrom.

17. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive 70 shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft, a selector having contacts adapted to be selectively 75 energized, a contact device connected to said type shaft to cooperate with said contacts, a latch plate, a latch on said latch plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel and normally tending to move into 80 engagement therewith, means connected with the selector to actuate said latch, and resetting means to disengage said latch from said stops and reset the same.

18. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a 85 type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon 90 mounted on said type shaft, a selector having contacts adapted to be selectively energized, a contact device connected to said type shaft to coöperate with said contacts, a movable latch plate, a latch on said latch 95 plate cooperating with the stops on the index wheel, means connected with the selector to actuate said latch, a cushioning device connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl engaging said index wheel 100 and operatively connected with said cushioning device.

19. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, 105 an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft, a selector having contacts corresponding in 110 number with the type wheel characters, a contact member connected with the type shaft and coöperating with the selector contacts, a controller connected with said nected with the selector to actuate said latch, | control contacts and circuits for the printer, plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, means connected with the se- 120 lector to actuate said latch, a cushioning device connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl engaging said index wheel and operatively connected with said cushioning device.

> 20. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a 130

large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and move longitudinally thereon, a selector having contacts corre-5 sponding in number with the type wheel characters, a contact member connected with the type shaft and coöperating with the selector contacts, a controller connected with said selector and having a number of contacts in excess of the selector contacts to provide control contacts and circuits for the printer, a movable latch plate, a latch on said latch plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, means connected with the selector to actuate said latch, a cushioning device connected with said latch plate, a locking pawl engaging said index wheel and operatively connected with said cushioning device, a printing platen coöperating 20 with the paper web and type wheel characters, a printing rod and toggle connections between said rod and printing platen, means to operate said printing rod from the printing means and an aliner operated by 25 said means to engage the stops on said index wheel and holding said type wheel in alinement while said printing platen is in engagement.

21. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a 30 type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters 35 thereon mounted on said type shaft to 10tate therewith and move longitudinally thereon, a selector having contacts corresponding in number with the type wheel characters, a contact member connected with 40 the type shaft and coöperating with the selector contacts, a controller connected with said selector and having a number of contacts in excess of the selector contacts to provide control contacts and circuits for the 45 printer, a movable latch plate, a latch on said latch plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, means connected with the selector to actuate said latch, a cushioning device connected with said latch plate, 50 a locking pawl engaging said index wheel and operatively connected with said cushioning device, a printing platen coöperating with the paper web, and connections to operate said platen from the printing means 55 and an aliner operated by said connections to hold said type wheel in alinement while said platen is in engagement.

22. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft. a type shaft, connections normally tending 60 to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft, a selector 65 having contacts adapted to be selectively

energized, a contact device connected to said type shaft to coöperate with said contact, a movable latch plate, a latch on said latch plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, means connected with the se- 70 lector to actuate said latch, a cushioning device connected with said latch plate, a locking pawl engaging said index wheel and operatively connected with said cushioning device, a printing platen coöperating with 75 the paper web, connections to operate said platen from the printing means and an aliner operated by said connections to hold said type wheel in alinement while said platen is in engagement.

23. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type 85 wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft, a selector having contacts adapted to be selectively energized, a contact device connected to said type shaft to coöperate with said contacts, a 96 latch coöperating with the stops on said index wheel and means actuated by the selector to operate said latch, a printing platen coöperating with the paper web. connections to operate said platen and an 95 aliner operated by said connections to hold said type wheel in alinement while said platen is in engagement.

24. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to 100 rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft, a selector hav- 105 ing contacts adapted to be selectively energized, a contact device connected to said type shaft to cooperate with said contacts, a fluid cushioned latch coöperating with the stops on said index wheel, means actuated 110 by the selector to operate said latch, a printing platen coöperating with said paper web and connections to operate said platen.

25. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional gearing normally tend- 115 ing to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with notches on said type shaft, rows of stop pins on each side of said index wheel, electrical selector contact devices connected with said type 120 shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and longitudinally movable thereon, a pivoted latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each cooperating with a 125 set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet actuating each latch and connected with the corresponding selector contact device, a detacher to detach said latches from said stops and reset the same, a pneumatic 100

cushioning cylinder coöperating with said latch plate, a piston in said cylinder connected with said latch plate, and a locking pawl connected with and actuated by said

5 cushioning cylinder.

26. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel having notches and 10 a plurality of rows of stops connected with said type shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and be longitudinally movable thereon, electrical selector contact de-15 vices connected with said type shaft, a pivoted latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each cooperating with a set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet actuating each latch and connected with 20 the corresponding selector contact device, a detacher to detach said latches from said stops and reset the same, a pneumatic cushioning cylinder coöperating with said latch plate, a piston in said cylinder connected 25 with said latch plate, and a locking pawl connected with and actuated by said cushioning cylinder.

27. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to 30 rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel having notches and a plurality of rows of stops connected with said type shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate there-35 with and be longitudinally movable thereon, electrical selector contact devices connected with said type shaft, a movable latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each cooperating with a set of stops on the 40 index wheel, a latch magnet actuating each latch and connected with the corresponding contact device of the selector, a cushioning member connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl to engage the index wheel 45 operatively connected with said cushioning

28. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, 50 an index wheel having notches and a plurality of rows of stops connected with said type shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and be longitudinally movable 55 thereon, electrical selector contact devices connected with said type shaft, a movable latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each coöperating with a set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet 60 controlling each latch and connected with a corresponding selector contact device and a cushioning device connected with said latchplate.

device.

29. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to

rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel having a plurality of rows of stops connected with said type shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby 70 and move longitudinally thereof, electrical selector contact devices connected with said type shaft, a movable latch plate, a plurality: of latches on said latch plate each coöperating with a set of stops on the index wheel, 75 a latch magnet controlling each latch and connected with a corresponding selector contact device and a cushioning device connected with said latch plate.

30. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a so type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel having a plurality of rows of stops connected with said type shaft, a type wheel provided with characters mounted on 85 said type shaft to be rotated thereby and move longitudinally thereof, a movable latch plate, a plurality of latches on said latch plate each cooperating with a set of stops on the index wheel, a latch magnet actuat- 90 ing each latch, a cushioning member connected with said latch plate and a locking pawl to engage the index wheel operatively

connected with said cushioning device. 31. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a 95 type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a type wheel having characters mounted on 100 said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a movable latch plate, a latch on said latch plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, means to actuate said latch, a cushioning device connected with said latch plate 105 and a locking pawl engaging said index wheel and operatively connected with said cushioning device.

32. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally 110 tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a type wheel having characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a latch 115 plate, a latch on said latch plate normally tending to move into engagement with the stops on the index wheel, means to actuate said latch, and resetting means to disengage said latch from said stops and reset the 120 same.

33. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with 125 a plurality of sets of separately positioned and independently acting stops connected with said type shaft and a type wheel having characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a plurality of latches 136

each cooperating with the corresponding set of stops on said index wheel, a controller and selector means actuated by said control-

ler to operate said latches.

5 34. In telegraph printers, a paper feed device, a type shaft and connected drive shaft, a type wheel on said type shaft, means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed to shaft and the type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of 15 the selecting means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook and magnet to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed 20 gear, means comprising a feed hook to operate said feed bar, control means operated from said carriage to bring said feed hook and said paper feed hook selectively into cooperation with the actuator, a return guard connected with said feed hook and lying in the path of said carriage to hold said hook out of engagement while the carriage is at the beginning of a line and a feed safety bar connected with the control means to restrain the operation of the spacing magnet and actuate the paper feed magnet when the carriage is at the end of a line.

35. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type wheel on said type shaft, means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft and type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the selecting means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, means comprising a feed hook to operate said feed bar, control means operated from said carriage to bring said feed 50 hook and said paper feed hook selectively into cooperation with the actuator, and a feed safety bar to restrain the operation of the spacing magnet when the carriage is at the end of a line and instead actuate the

55 paper feeder.

36. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type wheel on said type shaft, means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, on a carriage connected to said feed shaft and the type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operat-65 ing said clutch on the operation of the se-

lecting means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, means 70 comprising a feed hook to operate said feed bar, control means operated from said carriage to bring said feed hook and said paper feed hook selectively into coöperation with the actuator, and a feed safety device hav- 75 ing means to actuate the same adjacent the end of a line and restraining the forward

operation of the feed gear.

37. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type 80 wheel on said type shaft, means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft and type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear 85 to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the selecting means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the 90 paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, means comprising a feed hook to operate said bar, control means operated from said carriage 95 to bring said feed hook and said paper feed hook selectively into coöperation with the actuator, and safety devices operated at the end of a line to prevent further advance

feed of the carriage.

38. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type wheel on said type shaft, means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft 105 and type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the se- 110 lector means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, means com- 115 prising a feed hook to operate said feed bar, control means operated from said carriage to bring said feed hook and said paper feed hook selectively into coöperation with the actuator, and return guard means oper- 120 ated at the beginning of a line to prevent the return gear being operated.

39. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type wheel on said type shaft, a controller and 125 connected means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft and the type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear to op- 130

feed hook into coöperation with the actuator, and a safety device having means to actuate the same adjacent the end of a line and restraining the operation of the spacing

magnet.

42. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type wheel on said type shaft, a controller, means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft 75 and type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the so selecting means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, a spacing 85 magnet actuated from said controller and a feed hook to operate said feed bar, control means operated from the carriage to selectively bring said feed hook and said paper feed hook into coöperation with the actu- 90 ator, and a safety device operated at the end of a line to prevent further advance feed of

the carriage. 43. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type wheel 95 on said type shaft, a controller, means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft and type wheel to longitudinally move said

type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear 100 to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the selecting means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the 105 paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook to operate said paper feeder, a

feed bar to operate the feed gear, a spacing magnet actuated from said controller and a feed hook to operate said feed bar, control 110 means operated from the carriage to selectively bring said feed hook and said paper

feed hook into coöperation with the actuator, and return guard means operated at the beginning of a line to prevent the return 115

gear being operated.

44. In telegraph printers, a web roll, a tension roll floating in a loop of the web from said web roll, swinging arms in which said tension roll is mounted, a brake restraining 120 said web roll and a brake rod to be engaged by one of said tension roll arms when said loop is decreased to thereby release said brake, guides around which said paper web passes, a feed roll and frictionally con- 125 nected winding roll to rewind said web and form an exposed bulletin face thereon, a feeding pawl and feeding arm coöperating with said feed roll, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to ro- 130

erate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the selecting means, an actuator operated from said 5 clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook and a paper feed magnet to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, a spacing magnet actuated from 10 said controller and a feed hook to operate said feed bar, control means operated from the carriage to selectively bring said feed hook and said paper feed hook into cooperation with the actuator, a return guard 15 connected with said feed hook and lying in the path of said carriage to hold said hook out of engagement while the carriage is at the beginning of a line and a feed safety device connected with the control lever to 20 restrain the operation of the spacing magnet and actuate the paper feed magnet when the carriage is at the end of a line.

40. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type wheel 25 on said type shaft, a controller and connected means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft and type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed 30 shaft, feed gear to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the selecting means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to 35 actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook and magnet to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, a spacing magnet actuated from said controller and a feed hook 40 to operate said feed bar, control means operated from the carriage to selectively bring said feed hook and said paper feed hook into coöperation with the actuator, and a feed safety bar to restrain the operation of the 45 spacing magnet when the carriage is at the end of a line and instead actuate the paper

feed magnet.

41. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a paper feed device, a type shaft, a type wheel on said type shaft, means for selectively operating said type wheel, a feed shaft, a carriage connected to said feed shaft and type wheel to longitudinally move said type wheel from said feed shaft, feed gear to operate said feed shaft from the drive shaft, a printing clutch, connections operating said clutch on the operation of the selector means, an actuator operated from said clutch, a paper feeder to actuate the paper feed device, means comprising a paper feed hook to operate said paper feeder, a feed bar to operate the feed gear, a spacing magnet and a feed hook to operate said feed bar, control means operated from the carriage to select-65 ively bring said feed hook and said paper

tate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon 5 mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and move longitudinally thereon, and means for selectively operating said type wheel and printing characters therefrom.

45. In telegraph printers, a web roll, a 10 tension roll floating in a loop of the web from said web roll, swinging arms in which said tension roll is mounted, a brake restraining said web roll and a brake rod to be engaged by one of said tension roll arms 15 when said loop is decreased to thereby release said brake, guides around which said paper web passes, a feed roll and frictionally connected winding roll to rewind said web and form an exposed bulletin face thereon, a feed-20 ing pawl and feeding arm coöperating with said feed roll, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said 25 type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft, and means for selectively operating said type wheel and printing characters therefrom.

46. In telegraph printers, a web roll, a brake coöperating with said roll, a tension roll in a loop of the web from said web roll and controlling said brake, a feed roll and winding roll to rewind said web and form 35 an exposed bulletin face thereon, paper feeding means coöperating with said feed roll, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connéctions normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel 40 provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon mounted on said type shaft to rotate therewith and move longitudinally thereon, and means for se-45 lectively operating said type wheel and printing characters therefrom.

47. In telegraph printers, a web roll, a brake coöperating with said roll, a tension roll in a loop of the web from said web roll 50 and controlling said brake, a feed roll and winding roll to rewind said web and form an exposed bulletin face thereon, paper feeding means coöperating with said feed roll, a drive shaft, a type shaft, connections nor-55 mally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a large type wheel having bulletin char-

acters thereon mounted on said type shaft, and means for selectively operating said type wheel and printing characters therefrom.

48. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a 65 tending to rotate said type shaft from said actuate said latch device.

drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a type wheel having characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a latch coöperating with the stops on said index 70 wheel, a selecting device, means controlled by said selecting device to operate said latch and a fluid cushioning device connected with said latch.

49. In telegraph printers, an index wheel 75 provided with stops, a connected type wheel having characters, a fluid cushioned latch device coöperating with the stops on said index wheel, a selector and connected means to actuate said latch device.

50. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a 85 type wheel having characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a latch plate, a latch on said latch plate coöperating with the stops on the index wheel and normally tending to move into engagement 90 therewith, a selector, means connected with said selector to actuate said latch, a cushioning member connected with said latch plate. and resetting means to disengage said latch from said stops and reset the same.

51. In telegraph printers, a drive shaft, a type shaft, frictional connections normally tending to rotate said type shaft from said drive shaft, an index wheel provided with stops connected with said type shaft and a 100 type wheel having characters mounted on said type shaft to be rotated thereby, a latch coöperating with the stops on said index wheel, a selecting device, means actuated by said selecting device to operate said latch 105 and a cushioning device positively connected with said latch.

52. In telegraph printers, an index wheel provided with stops, a connected type wheel having characters, a latch device coöperat- 110 ing with the stops on said index wheel, a cushioning device positively connected with said latch device, a selector and means connected with said selector to actuate said latch device.

53. In telegraph printers, an index wheel provided with stops, a large type wheel having bulletin characters thereon connected with said index wheel, a latch device coöperating with the stops on said index wheel, a 120 cushioning device positively connected with said latch device, a selector and means connected with said selector to actuate said latch device.

54. In telegraph printers, an index wheel, 125 a connected type wheel having characters, a pneumatically cushioned latch device coöperating with said index wheel, a selector type shaft, frictional connections normally and means connected with said selector to

55. In telegraph printers, an index wheel provided with stops, a connected type wheel having characters, a pneumatically cushioned latch device coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, a selector and means connected with said selector to actuate said latch device.

a connected type wheel having characters, a pneumatically cushioned latch device cooperating with said index wheel, means to selectively actuate said latch device and printing means to print from the selected

characters on said type wheel.

provided with stops, a connected type wheel having characters, a pneumatically cushioned latch device coöperating with the stops on the index wheel, means to selectively actuate said latch device, printing means to print from the selected characters on said type wheel, and an aliner operated by said printing means to hold said type wheel in alinement.

5 58. In telegraph printers, an index wheel provided with stops, a connected type wheel

having characters, a cushioned latch device cooperating with the stops on the index wheel, means to selectively actuate said latch device, printing means to print from the 30 selected characters on said type wheel and an aliner engaging and holding said type wheel in alinement when said printing means operates.

59. In telegraph printers, an index wheel 35 provided with stops, a connected large type wheel having bulletin characters, a latch device coöperating with the stops on said index wheel, a fluid cushioning device cooperating with said latch device and means 40

to actuate said latch device.

60. In telegraph printers, an index wheel, a connected type wheel having characters, a fluid cushioned latch device coöperating with said index wheel and means to actuate 45 said latch device.

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