

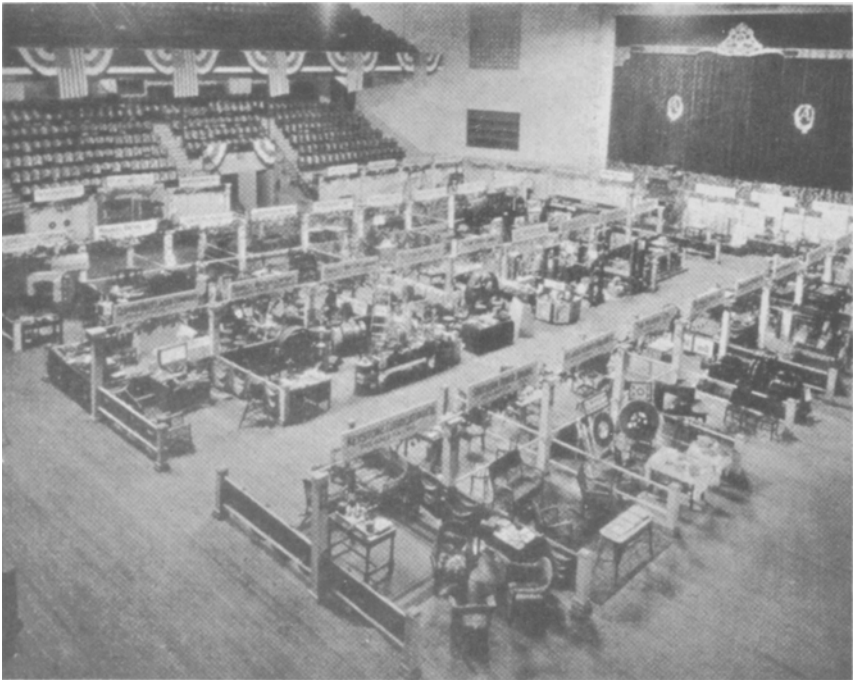
# Atlanta Machinery Exhibit Magnificent

Visiting Superintendents Have Opportunity to Inspect Most Advanced Equipment for Oil Mills

**T**HE outstanding feature of the Interstate Oil Mill Superintendents' Convention at Atlanta in June of this year was the Machinery and Supply exhibit prepared for the convention by the Interstate Superintendents' Exhibitors Association.

The exhibit was held in the Main Hall of the Atlanta City Auditorium, which was artistically decorated for the event.

There were forty exhibits, each devoted to some machine or product of vital interest to the oil miller, as follows:



*Machinery Exhibit, Atlanta, June 8-10.*

**Anti-Friction Belt Dressing Co.,  
Baltimore**

This old-established firm had on hand samples of their well-known "Anti-Friction" leather belt dressing. The exhibit was in charge of Mr. E. M. Jones.

**Atlanta Belting Co., Atlanta**

Mr. Ernest D. Key and Mr. H. T. Pritchett presented this company's line of fine leather belting. The exhibit included sections of tanned leather showing the course of selection for the production of belting.

**Atlanta Foundry & Machine Co., Atlanta**

Re-enforced huller and attrition mill plates of newest design were featured in this company's exhibit. They also displayed an interesting conveyor hanger with a self-greasing journal box of new and improved design. O. Sheppard and Mobley Sheppard, Jr., were in charge.

**Atlanta Utility Works, East Point, Ga.**

Featuring the new "Utility Shaker" for separation of cottonseed hulls from meats, the Mullen Ram Hoist and the Mullen Hull Bran Feeder. Mr. Max Pittard in command.

**Barrett Watson Co., Atlanta**

This well-known mill supply house exhibited a complete line of supplies and equipment including among other items, Armstrong Steam Traps, Jenkins Valves, "Quick Pack" furnace linings. The company was represented by Mr. Barrett, Mr. Watson and their staff of popular salesmen.

**Bauer Bros. Co., Springfield, Ohio**

The new Ball-bearing Attrition Mill of this company was on display offering visitors an opportunity to examine its many advanced features. Mr. Lockett and Mr. Sell represented the Bauer Bros.

**Blackmer Rotary Pump Co.,  
Petoskey, Mich.**

The Blackmer Pump Co., exhibited its standard line of iron and bronze-lined rotary pumps with the well-known Blackmer self-aligning buckets. Mr. H. A. Haas, Atlanta District Manager, demonstrated the newest feature of Blackmer design, which consists of a lug attachment to the bucket, insuring the pump from damage by any foreign matter which may enter with the oil.

**Butters Manufacturing Co., Atlanta**

The exhibit of the Butters Manufacturing Co. consisted of a full-size Butters Automatic Milling Machine for cutting and sharpening a complete cylinder of linter saws in one operation. This well-designed and carefully built machine attracted much interest. The exhibit was in charge of Messrs. Redding Sims and J. C. Quinn, assisted by Messrs. R. W. Starke, C. L. Hooks and G. P. Duffy.

**H. W. Caldwell & Son Co., Chicago**

This division of the Link-Belt Company exhibited many of its well-built and useful conveyor chains and sprockets as well as the Silent-Chain Drives of the Parent Company. A particularly interesting feature was the Caldwell electric car-spotter, consisting of an electric motor and "mule" for moving box-cars and tank-cars on the mill siding. Messrs. I. H. Barbee and R. L. Louden represented H. W. Caldwell & Son Co., and Mr. P. W. Huddleston had charge of the Link-Belt exhibit.

**W. H. Camp, Atlanta**

Mr. Camp exhibited his new automatic high-density packer, for packing bags of hulls or mixed feed and this useful machine attracted much attention. Mr. Camp was assisted at his booth by Mr. H. S. Ezzard and Mr. J. A. Shields.

**Carver Cotton Gin Co., East Bridge-  
water, Mass.**

Carver Cotton Gin Company exhibited its well-known linter-saw gummer and filer in operation and producing their consistent good work. The exhibit was presided over by R. M. Fluker of Atlanta and T. P. Wallace of Memphis.

Clipper Belt Lacer Co., Grand Rapids, Mich.

The feature of this company's exhibit was their new No. 8 Belt Lacer, a large improved machine designed to handle single and double belts up to 8" in width at one operation. The machine is of staunch construction and will care for light and heavy work in lacing belts. A full line of the various other types of "Clipper" belt lacers was on display, the exhibit being in charge of Mr. Perry J. Edwards, Atlanta Representative.

Columbus Iron Works, Columbus, Ga.

Mr. R. W. Sharp, Manager, had charge of the exhibit of this mill supply house, where were shown many standard and special lines of supplies for oil millers including J-M Asbestos Packings and Chapman Ball Bearings.

Davidson-Kennedy Co., Atlanta

This, one of the leading oil-mill equipment companies of the country, had a large, well-arranged display of heavy oil-mill machinery including a complete cottonseed huller, hydraulic cake-former, Davidson hydraulic pump, steel press-boxes, hydraulic change-valves and fittings. Mr. Davidson and Mr. Kennedy were both constantly in attendance to demonstrate the points of their equipment.

Factors Service Co., Atlanta

This Company, leather belting jobbers and manufacturers, had something unique to exhibit in the nature of reclaimed leather belting, showing serviceable belting produced by cementing used leather belts to new canvas belts. The combination is strong and serviceable. The exhibit was attended by Messrs. P. L. Munford and B. J. Eiseman.

Fafnir Bearing Co., New Britain, Conn.

Featured in the exhibit of Fafnir Bearings were the new type bearings with rings and balls of molybdenum steel. Mr. A. G. Laughridge explained the merits of Fafnir Bearings to visitors at the both.

Fairbanks-Morse & Co., Chicago

For many years leaders in the manufacture of scales, pumps, trucks and oil-engines, this company had a large and interesting exhibit, in charge of Mr. J. M. Spinks of Atlanta.

Featured in the exhibit were the new Fairbanks springless dial scale, without springs or small steel ribbons, and the latest type "S" Auto-Truck scale with full capacity direct-reading springless dial.

Fort Worth Steel & Machinery Co.  
Fort Worth, Texas

Under the supervision of Mr. A. C. Helm, the exhibit of this company presented a Helm combination linter-saw filer and gummer in actual operation.

French Oil Mill Machinery Co., Piqua, Ohio

Featuring a McNulty hydraulic cake-stripper and a French Automatic Sampler for obtaining representative samples of oil-mill products, this exhibit was attended by Mr. C. B. Upton, General Manager, Mr. Tom Brooke, Atlanta Representative, and Mr. T. J. McNulty, Envoy Extraordinary.

Fulton Supply Co., Atlanta, Ga.

This mill-supply house exhibited a full line of supplies, featuring Dodge-Timken unit roller bearings for crushing rolls. Mr. "Dick" English and his aides were on hand to answer all inquiries.

**Hardwick-Etter Co., Sherman, Texas**

Manufacturers of leather belting, scales and cleaning and separating machinery for oil mills, this company was represented by Mr. W. H. Altman.

**Howe Scale Co., Rutland, Vermont**

The large and interesting exhibit of Howe Scale Co. contained many types of dormant and portable scales and a wagon scale, the feature which attracted most attention being the "Weightograph" attachment, a means of showing total weight immediately in illuminated white figures against a black background. This device offers a practical time-saving means of avoiding errors in weight.

The Howe exhibit was in charge of Mr. Frank Daub, of the Atlanta Branch, assisted by several salesmen.

**Jenkins Bros., New York**

This old-established house was present as usual with an interesting display of many types of Jenkins Valves, particularly "Renewable-disc" globe valves. Mr. B. R. Wofford was present to greet his many friends in the oil mill industry.

**Keystone Lubricating Co., Philadelphia**

Represented by Mr. J. H. Yerkes, Southern Manager, of St. Louis, Mr. Karl Kologiski, Jr., of Charlotte, N. C., and Mr. R. C. Barlow of Birmingham, Keystone Lubricating Company displayed a full line of cup and gear greases, and the "Keystone Safety Lubricator," a device for lubricating bearings on rolls, etc.

**Moloney Belting Co., Atlanta**

Moloney Belting Co. exhibited leather belting, packing, laces, belt dressing and leather cements. Mr. L. D. Mason was in attendance.

**The Murray Co., Atlanta**

The Murray Company furnished a very interesting exhibit in the form of an automatic motion picture showing new methods of picking and cleaning cotton. The exhibit was managed by Mr. C. A. Pope.

**Neatsol Products Co., Philadelphia**

Mr. David T. Helmer, Sales Manager and Mr. James C. Chandler, Southern Representative, were busy demonstrating the superior quality of the belt dressings and packings manufactured by this company.

**The Oil Miller and Cotton Ginner, Atlanta**

The old-established organ of the Superintendents' Association was represented by Mr. Fred W. Burruss, Mr. J. R. Dobbs, and, of course, the charming Miss Mary Burruss was there, doing all the work of the convention, without apparent effort.

**Oil & Fat Industries, New York**

We were there, too, renewing old friendships and forming many new ones.

**Plibrico Jointless Firebrick Co., Chicago**

An interesting exhibit of plastic refractories, including a model of a furnace lining, showing methods of applying this adaptable substitute for fire brick. Mr. C. W. Dunlap represented the company.

**Richardson Scale Co., Clifton, New Jersey**

This company exhibited their patented sacking scale for oil meal and similar products. The exhibit was in charge of Messrs. M. Bulleman and J. C. Hageman.

**Reichman Crosby Co., Memphis**

Exhibiting their l i n t e r - s a w s which enjoy a wide distribution, Reichman Crosby Co. were represented at the convention by Messrs.

Richard Alcott and Brooke Samual.

Sessions Mote Board Company, Columbia, S. C.

Mr. W. T. Powell was present representing this company.

Singer Sewing Machine Co., New York

Mr. Jos. C. Lewis and Mr. L. W. Rowlain of the Atlanta Branch were on hand demonstrating a new Singer Machine for sewing press-cloth in mills. The new machine sews a butt-seam without laps which means a decided saving in press-cloth expense to the oil miller.

SKF Industries, New York

This famous bearing manufacturing company had a most interesting exhibit showing the amazing reduction of friction loads gained by the application of SKF ball and spherical bearings. Mr. N. Miller of the Atlanta office was in charge of the exhibit.

Southern Power Journal, Atlanta

This journal, which covers the steam and electric power fields in Southern Territory, was represented by Mr. L. B. Gordon.

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## Cottonseed Crushers Meet at Memphis

Convention Transferred from New Orleans  
Holds Constructive and Enjoyable Sessions

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**T**HE Interstate Cottonseed Crushers' Association held its Thirty-first Annual Convention at Hotel Chisca, Memphis, Tennessee, on May 25, 26 and 27, 1927. The convention was well attended particularly so in view of the fact that the dates and location had been twice changed due to the flood conditions in the Lower Mississippi Valley.

The Rules Committee met, as usual, at the same place on the two days preceding the Convention and made important changes in the trading rules of the Association. These changes, which were adopted by the Association, are discussed in detail elsewhere in this issue.

The business sessions of the Interstate Association, presided over by President F. N. Bridgers, were held in the Hotel Chisca.

After the invocation by Rev. Dr. Charles F. Blaisdell, Rector of Calvary Episcopal Church, Memphis, an address of Welcome by Hon. Rowlett Paine, Mayor of Memphis,

addresses by President Bridgers and General Counsel Christie Benet, the convention proceeded to its chief business, the discussion and approval of the changes in trading rules recommended by the Rules Committee and the consideration of reports of other committees. These matters occupied the attention of the convention during practically all of its three business sessions.

In the course of the second day's meeting the convention listened to a splendid address by Hon. Robert R. Ellis of Memphis. The third day was devoted to the election of officers for the coming year, who are as follows: President: S. W. Wilbor, Paris, Texas. 1st Vice President: James E. Byram, Alexandria, La. 2nd Vice President: Harry Hodgson, Athens, Ga. 3rd Vice President: W. A. Sherman, Houston, Texas. Secretary: George H. Bennett, Dallas, Texas. Treasurer: Major Robert Gibson, Dallas, Texas.