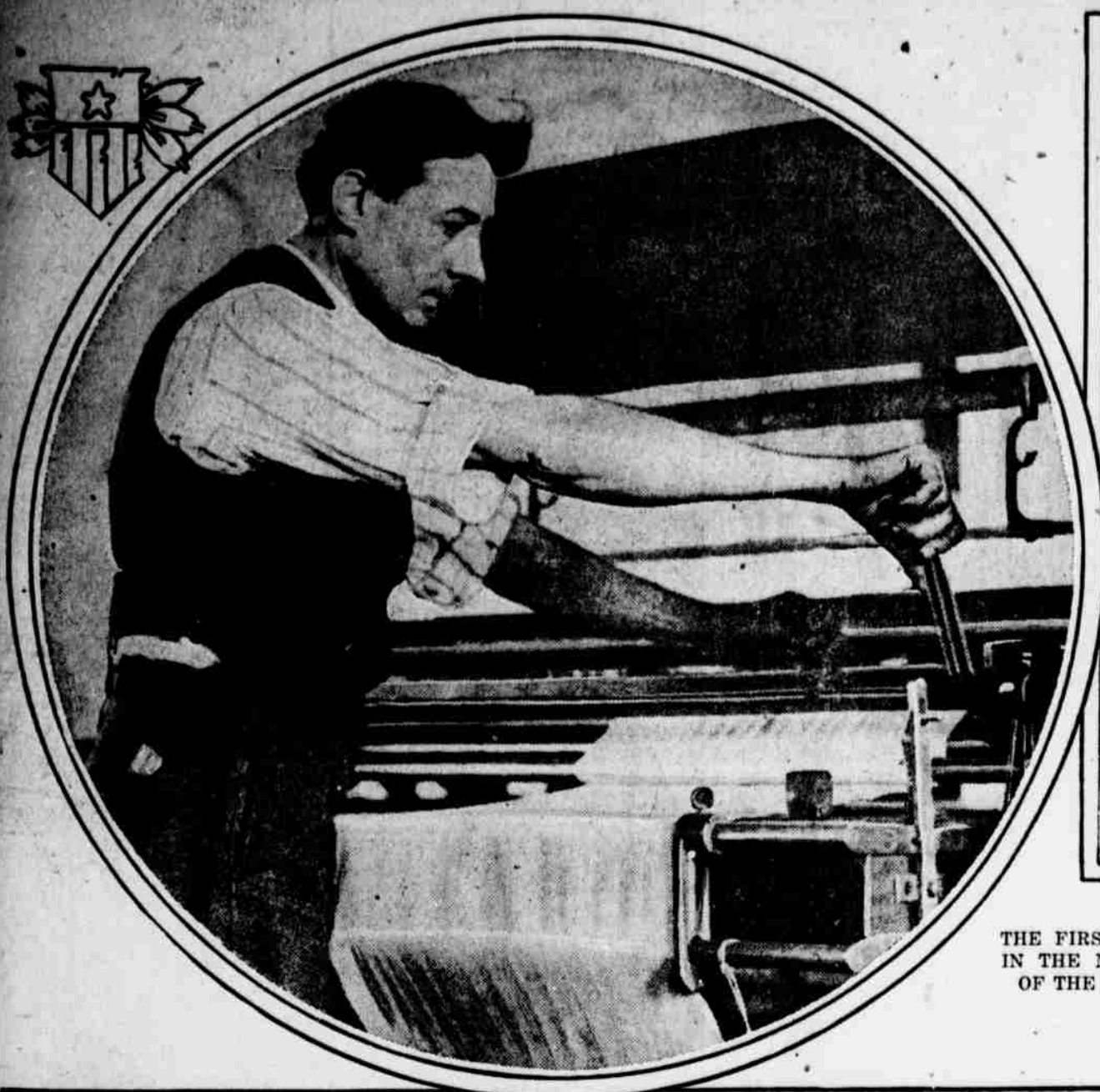


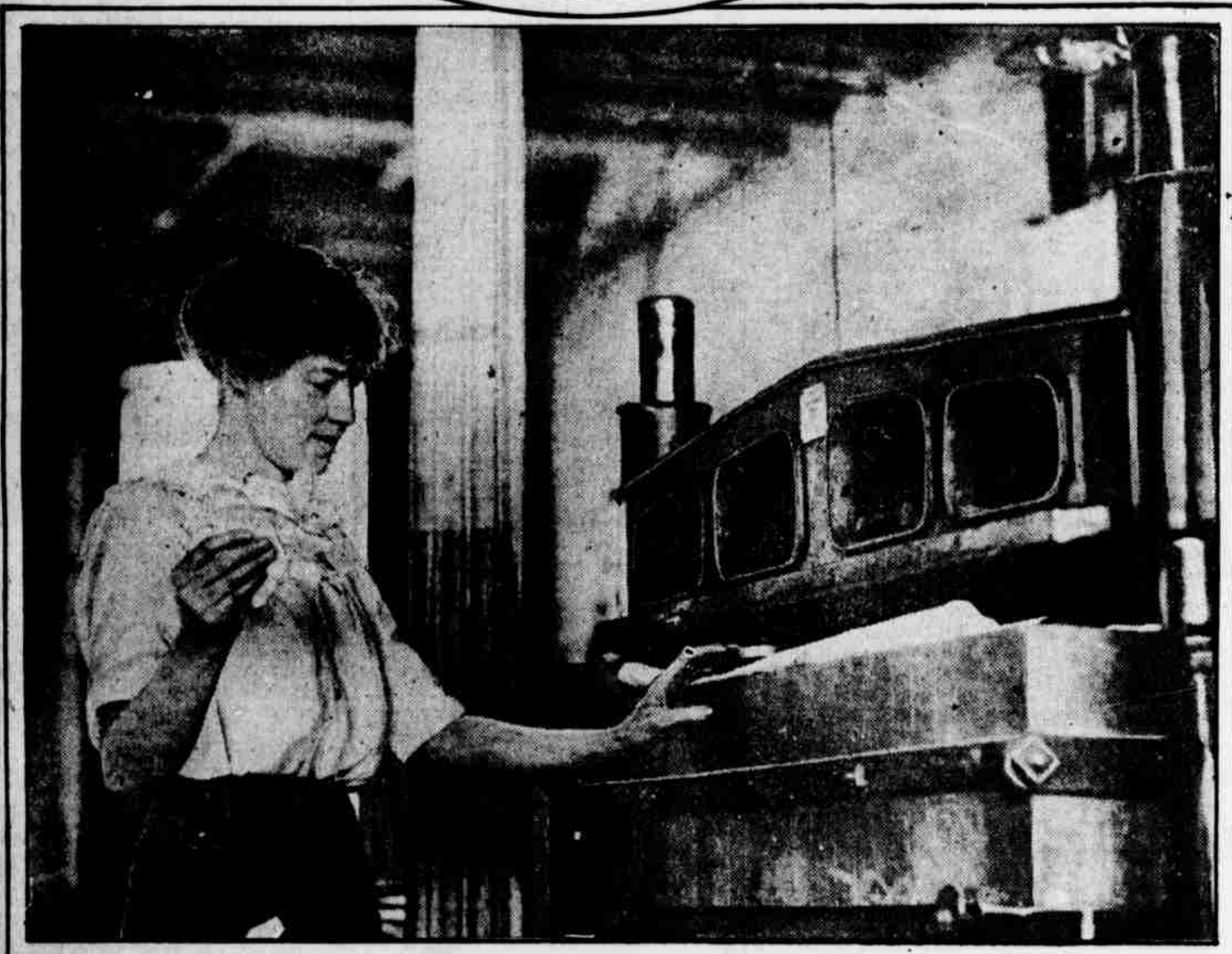
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THE FIRST STEP IN THE MAKING OF THE FLAG



THE MATERIAL CUT, THE WORK IS GIVEN OUT TO THE SEAMSTRESSES



EACH STAR MUST BE PREPARED AND THEN ATTACHED TO THE BLUE FIELD



"A STAR FOR EVERY STATE" IS NEXT CUT FROM THE FABRIC



THE UNION OF RED AND WHITE ARE UNITED AS WERE THE

THE UNION OF FORTY-EIGHT STARS IS MADE FAST AS THE BOND OF NATIONAL UNITY THEIR GROUPING FIGURATIVELY EXPRESSES

ITS WARM FOLDS PROTECT AND SHELTER ALL WHO SEEK OR CLAIM ITS AID AGAINST OPPRESSION OR WRONG