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**ASSISTANT INSPECTORS.**



## LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

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OFFICE OF FACTORY INSPECTORS,

PROVIDENCE, R. I., January 9th, 1906.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY GEORGE H. UTTER,

*Governor, State of Rhode Island:*

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 1215 of the General Laws, I have the honor to submit to you, and through you to the General Assembly, this the twelfth annual report of factory inspection in this State, covering the inspection of factories, workshops, and mercantile establishments during the year ending December 31, 1905.

Respectfully submitted,

J. ELLERY HUDSON,

*Chief Factory Inspector.*





Wash Room in Machine Shop of Brown & Sharpe, Providence, showing arrangement for drying the outer garments of the workmen.