Hand Spin'ning-ma-chine'. A form of spinning-machine in which a carding is fed by hand to the spindle, which is revolved by a cord from a large wheel, driven by the hand in the intervals of piecing on new lengths of carding. The usual form of rustic spinning-machine is familiar, but the example is intended to allow a person to sit and spin, the spindle J being carried away from the person by pressure on the treadle instead of the person walking backward from the spindle to draw out the carding.

