

HOWARTH'S COTTON MILLS.

After leaving Ardwick, the party proceeded to the cotton mills and weaving sheds of Messrs. Richard Howarth and Co., Limited, at Ordsal-lane, Salford. Our readers will remember that we very fully illustrated and described Messrs. Howarth's fine works in connection with the 1894 summer meeting of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers held in Manchester.* Since that date certain additions and improvements have been made to this establishment, but it would be difficult to deal with those without again going into the subject fully. As is well known, these mills are amongst the largest and best equipped in the country; and we may add, amongst the most admirably managed.