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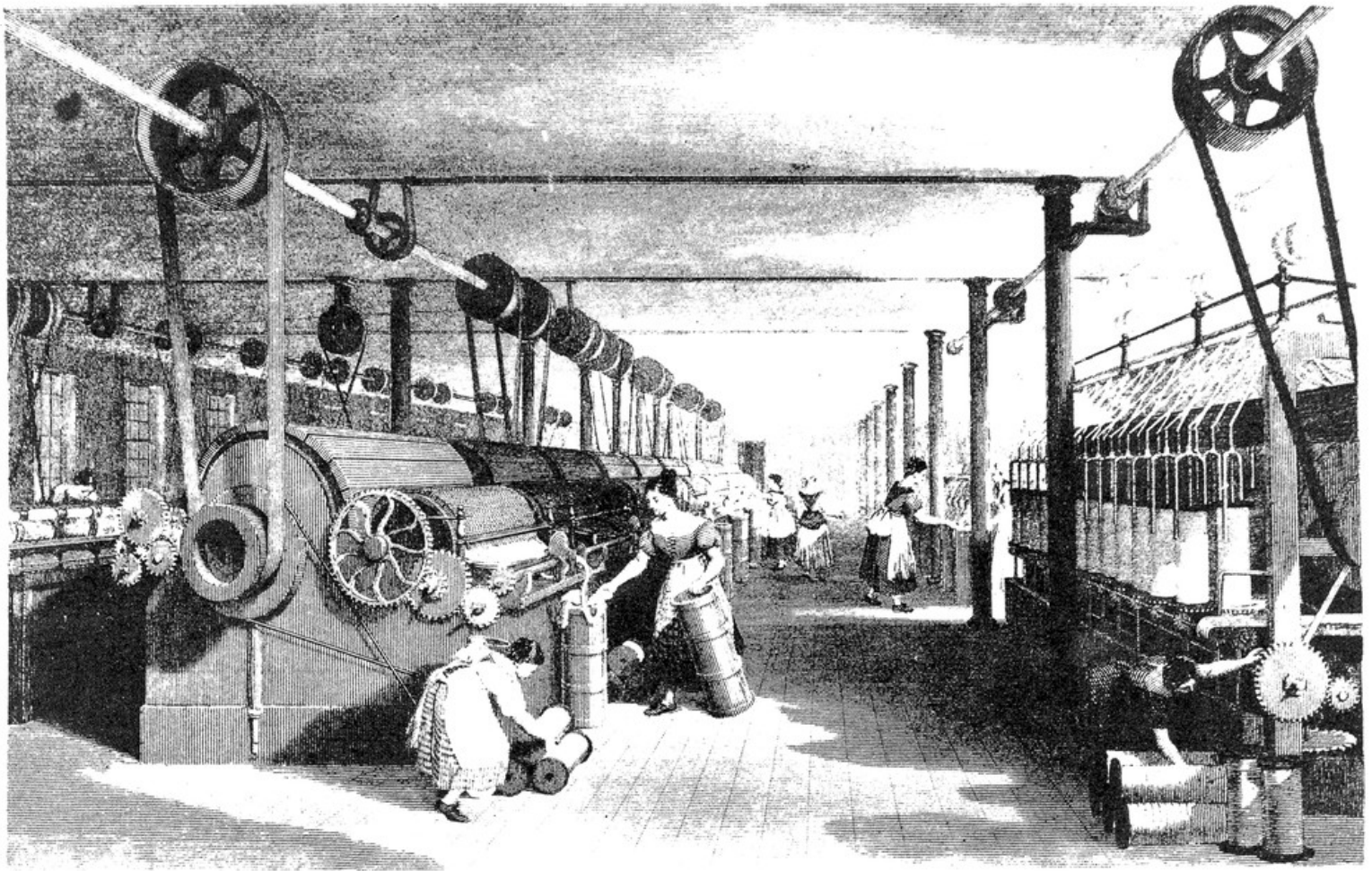
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From: Baines (E.), *History of the Cotton Manufacture*, 1835.

Carding Engine and Drawing Frame. In the first half of the 18th century in the cotton industry the introduction of the flying shuttle, the drop-box and the Dutch loom, with the more complicated looms required for figured patterns, made better methods of preparing and spinning cotton imperative. Carding machines and drawing frames were among the early achievements in this field. Arkwright cultivated improvements to the early machines, but there were many inventors busy besides Arkwright.

