

Title Spinning silk, South Manchester, Conn.

Date 1914

Primary Maker Keystone View Company

Medium Photography; gelatin silver prints on paper on cardboard mount

Description A woman at the spinning frame at Cheney Brothers Silk

Manufacturing Company. "...The bobbins at the top of the frame hold the silk

which is known as "roving." This "roving" is the silk that has been cleaned,

combed, and straightened so that its fibers are welded together. At the bottom

of the frame you see the spindles that contain the thread...."

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 3 9/16 x 7 1/16in. (9 x 18cm)