standing wire in middle span is immediately regulated in the foregoing manner, so that after its arrival at the second anchorage, only the last land span remains to be adjusted. This being done, the running wire is next thrown on the opposite side of the strand, and then regulated in the same way as the standing wire, but working in opposite directions. At the East River bridge the Brooklyn anchorage is the starting point; hence all standing wires are regulated from Brooklyn towards New York, and the running wires from New York towards Brooklyn. For adjusting the wires a pair of nippers as illustrated in Figs. 32 and 33 are used, and the hauling is done with a small block and fall fastened to some convenient place on the anchor-chain. While the regulation of these two wires is going on, the traveling sheave, which carried them over, returns empty and another sheave fastened to the opposite side of the working rope, brings two wires for the strand of the second cable.