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Header : DON'T LET FLATWORK LEAVE YOU FEELING FLAT!

“There’s nothing more depressing than tackling a job without the correct tools” says Renzacci UK Managing Director, Jason Alexander. “When you think of tools for the job, you may envisage a plumber’s wrench or a carpenter’s saw, but to the professional launderer, the correct equipment is every bit as important. In particular, I’m thinking of trying to tackle flatwork with a manual iron. The results are bound to be inferior, but the dispiriting thing is the wasted labour involved.”

Many laundries think of calenders as being applicable only to volume operations. Whereas the truth is that there is a vast array of equipment on the market that will suit virtually any volume of flatwork. Renzacci UK plc is one of the leading suppliers of calenders and rotary ironers, distributing equipment in the UK from three leading Italian manufacturers, Renzacci SpA, Pony and GMP.

At the volume end of the market, professional laundries need to produce an impeccable finish – creased sheets, pillow cases and tablecloths are simply not acceptable. On the other hand, the market is highly competitive and that high quality of finish needs to be delivered in the shortest possible time to maximise their margins in a very competitive market. Finishing equipment from Renzacci UK has been developed in close consultation with laundry operators to combine speed, reliability and economical running costs without any sacrifice of quality.

The Renzacci KZ range of ironing calenders is manufactured using the highest quality materials and built to a compact, yet rugged design that performs even under the most exacting of conditions typically found in today’s modern laundry operations.

The range of KZ ironing calenders offers ironing plate widths starting at 1400mm in length going up to an impressive 2800mm. All models in the range are equipped with a roller that is internally heated by either gas burners, steam coil or electric heating elements. Ironer temperature is controlled by means of an operator-adjustable thermostat. High quality nomex feeder belts, which are resistant to high





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temperature and pressures, are used to pass the flatwork through the calender. A collection shelf for the return feeding laundry is incorporated in the design. All units are fitted with a speed controller and have full CE approved safety features.

For the truly industrial operation, Renzacci offers the MSA range of ironing machines, which have a new fixed semi-cylindrical plate. These start with a plate length of 1700mm and go up to a gigantic 2800mm.

Renzacci UK also distributes the GMP range of rotary ironers, available in both gas and electric versions. The G range is manufactured from the finest components with chromed steel cylinders and patented titanium steel burner (for the gas-heated models). Operating features include steam suction, integral 'cool-down' mechanism, electronically controlled ironing speed and front-linen return. The compact dimensions of the models make them ideal for installation in narrow spaces. GMP's G12-25 and G14-25 are believed to be the smallest gas-heated drying ironers on the market.



Presses have stood the test of time as the cornerstone of the finishing operation. Pony's CP/LAV-R1 was introduced last year after extensive consultation with its distributors worldwide. High on their wish list was a machine that would finish cottons and linens to the highest possible standards. The resulting machine is a rectangular flat hot head laundry press supplied with or without built-in boiler and vacuum, which is ideal for flatwork including sheets, duvet covers, tablecloths and napkins.



Says Jason: "Besides having probably the broadest selection of calenders and presses of any UK supplier, in most cases we are also able personalise the equipment to our client's individual needs, so that they can deal effectively and efficiently with the particular mix of work and materials peculiar to their business."

Besides the equipment itself, operators will be reassured that all equipment supplied by Renzacci UK is back-up by full service agreements carried out by



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our own qualified engineers. Added to that - particularly in view of the investment involved - Renzacci is pleased to be able to offer a full range of finance initiatives, many of which are not available from other suppliers. They include Renzacci's latest plan, Easy Entry, where operators pay no deposit and just £25 per month in the first year of operation whilst they are building their business.

For more information about calenders, presses and related finance initiatives, readers are invited to visit the Renzacci website at www.renzacci.co.uk.