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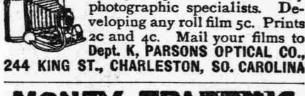
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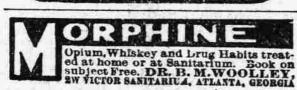
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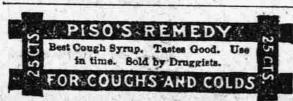
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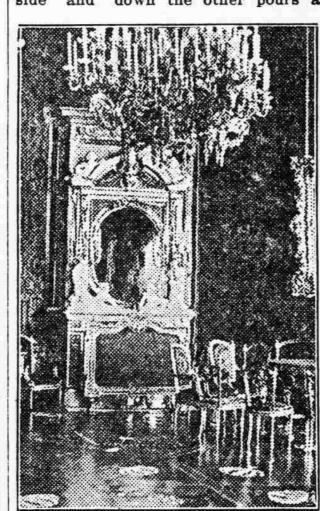
Streets of St. Petersburg Are a Semi-Oriental Sight.

Houses Like Huge Human Hives-No Crowds Permitted to Congregate and Newsboys Are Prohibited From Calling Their Wares.

St. Petersburg.-As one moves about the streets, he is struck most of all by the wasteful use of space. It is at once apparent that Petersburg never slowly evolved from emb yonic beginnings. But it would be unwise to proceed further in describing Petersburg's streets without noting the fact that she has two kinds of streets, namely, the Nevsky Prospect and others. An ordinary "oolitza" or street except late in the afternoon (when Petersburg wakes up!), is a semi-Oriental sight. Save on court holidays, when each house is required to hang out the national flag, there is no color in the streets, the houses are dun colored and monotonously alike. There are no hills, no small homes, no large ones-just huge, human hives with courts in the rears, and icons constantly lit by tiny oil lamps in the front.

There is little noise. No crowds gather; the newsboys are not allowed to call their wares; bands, hand organs or street vendors seldom disturb this solemn city of the north. Even the tram cars creep by noiselessly; they are "curve-squeal" and

rattle proof. Ah, but how different, kaleidoscopic Nevsky Prospect! It is the Fifth avenue, the Unter den Linden, the Regent street of Russia's capital. Less than three miles long, it is yet one of the world's really unique highways. There is nothing like it elsewhere. Some visitors come and go; others stay; but foreigners never seem to weary of gazing upon this peculiarly varied, marvelously cosmopolitan sight. Over the spacious wooden pavement between the two low banks of glittering stores, flows a motley stream of traffic. Here the ends of the earth seem to meet. Everybody from everywhere rushes hither and thither. Red French automobiles, their horns singing tuneful, metallic ditties, swerve and dodge about ragged peasants bearing burdens with wooden shoulder yokes or driving primitive, home-made carts. Royally appointed equipages, flaunting purple plumes and golden braid, prance sedately by, while continually up one side and down the other pours a



Palace Drawing Room of the Empress at St. Petersburg.

steady torrent of cabs. Perhaps a funeral is creeping by (people die much in Petersburg); the golden, tinseled casket in the shabby, boat-like cart flames brilliantly in the sunlight, and peasants stride proudly by it as though they are escorting a prize pumpkin to market. Inexhaustible is the fascination of this animated thoroughfare.

And the people! How varied and gay are the colors! How dazzling are the uniforms, the Parisian gowns, the flashing of trailing swords! Soldiers armed cap-a-pie seem to make up half the parading multitude. They meet, halt, salute and pass on. On the Nevsky Prospect there is time for everything. There are Frenchmen, Germans, Dutchmen, Finns, Tartars, The women are beautiful. Every true male Russian presents a study in whiskers. It is the land of the Kodak Finishing sweeping the street with a witch broom of twigs—a tattered edition of great unshaved. There is a peasant Tolstoi himself! Before the street icons the faithful halt, bow, cross veloping any roll film 5c. Prints
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> Loses Savings, Attempts Suicide. Middletown, N. Y.-His home robbed of his savings of \$87, Wm. D. Gannon, a contractor, attempted to commit suicide by swallowing arsenic, but doctors saved him.

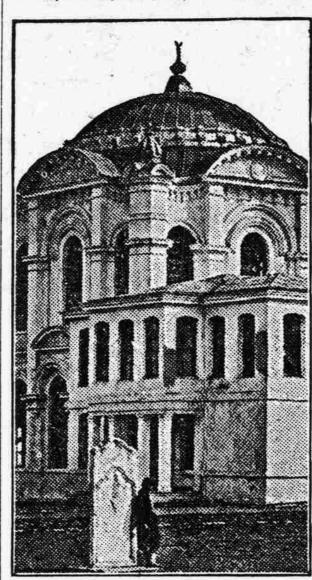
> Invents Aluminum Solder. Pittsburg, Pa.-Patrolman H. M. Chatham, a member of the local police department, has invented a solder for aluminum.

ODD CEREMONY IN TURKEY

Picturesque Occasion Occurs Weekly in Constantinople When the Sultan Goes to Pray.

Constantinople.—One of the most picturesque sights in Constantinople is a Selamlik, or sultan's levee, a ceremony which takes place weekly. Those invited under the ex-sultan's reign had seats in a pavilion which faced the mosque and thus saw the arrival and departure of his majesty when he went to pray on Friday, the Mohammedan Sabbath.

Nowhere out of Constantinople do more nationalities jostle each other, and the color and variety of dress is amazing. The hill leading to the mosque where I attended a Selamlik was a blaze of color, writes Lady Jepson in the Queen. Cavalry and marines, foot soldiers and sailors lined the road, and behind these stood Turks, Serbs, Bulgars, Greeks, Levan-



Mosque of the Sultan at Sweet Water, Constantinople.

tines, English, Americans, Germans and Russians.

Many were the curious tales which teached us of Abdul Hamid. He lived chiefly on eggs, they said, served a la Coq, because it would require the skill of a Borgia to poison them. His terror of assassination was so abject that he never left the Yildiz palace except to say his prayers once a week at his mosque, and he employed a 'taster" like any mediaeval mon-

The ex-sultan, as all the world knows, was and is an enemy to progress and reform and excessively narrow in his views. The Young Turks had a bad time of it under his sway, and women a worse one. He enforced strict seclusion for Turkish women, forbade them even to leave the country after they were old enough to be veiled, and obliged all respectable women to be indoors by sun-

Even now, under a more enlightened rule, although they go out and about the streets disguised in yashmak and ferejeh, the Turkish lady is lucky if a spy does not follow in her wake ready to report to a jealous husband the slightest indiscretion. One of our party passed a high wall on his way to the Selamlik, which his dragoman informed him was that of a harem. "The walls must be high," said the Turk, "since women are so bad."

We waited long in our pavilion for the sultan, and were relieved when at last his coming was heralded by men who scattered gravel before him on the hill. Abdul Hamid was a handsome old man with refined features, a prominent nose and a good carriage. He was dressed simply and he wore no decorations. As he drove past the troops cheered him in a strange low key, unlike any other hurrah I have ever heard. It is etiquette that all eyes should be cast down as the

mighty sultan goes by. Behind Abdul Hamid the ladies of his harem drove in closed carriages, but they did not enter the mosque, women in Turke yhaving no souls!

FIREMEN MAY FORM UNION

Boston Hose and Ladder Men to Talk Over Plan to Have an Organization.

Boston.-Boston's firemen are considering a step that may earn for them the distinction of being the first of any city in the east to affiliate themselves with organized labor. The members of the department-the hosemen and laddermen-have agreed to meet to decide definitely whether or not they want to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor. It is believed the bulk of the firemen will favor such a step. The promoters of the movement explain that, while the proposed organization will be a rejetlar labor union there will be no danger of its members making arbitrary demands upon the city for increased pay or shorter hours, much less of a "walk-out" when called to fight a fire.

Parrot Uses Ball Slang. Pittsburg, Pa .- "Cut the salve!" "Can't get them over!" "Take your ase!" "Your control's rotten!" were

ome of the things Policeman Charles slhoun's parrot hurled at him after caping from its cage to a high winw ledge. Calhoun is a baseball ayer in the summer.

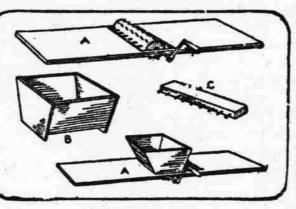
Machine Intended Mainly for Chopping Cabbage Will Be Found of Convenience for Fowls.

The grinder is intended mainly for chopping cabbage when making sauerkraut, but it is also of much service in grinding vegetables and roots to be cooked for poultry, says the Popular Mechanics.

The base, A, is made of a plank, at least one foot wide and four feet long, with a nine and one fourth by nine and one-half inch hole cut in the center. The grinding part, or cylinder is made of wood three inches in diameter and nine inches long, with eight-penny nails, spaced three-sixteenths inches apart, driven partly into it and then cut off so as to leave one-fourth inch projecting. The cylinder is turned by means of a crank attached to the end of the shaft.

A hopper, B, is constructed four by nine and one-half inches inside measurement at the bottom and as large as necessary at the top. A space is provided at the bottom as shown to receive the concave C, which consists of a one-inch board, three to four inches wide and nine inches long, with nails driven in and cut off as described in the cylinder.

The hopper is securely fastened on the top of the baseboard and over the cylinder. The concave is slipped into place and held with wedges or by driving two nails in just far enough to fasten it temporarily. The concave



Root Grinder.

can be adjusted for grinding the different vegetable products, or replaced at any time with a new one.

the ends of the base are supported on boxes, or legs may be provided if desired. When grinding cabbage, cut the heads into quarters and remove the hearts. Press the cabbage on the cylinder and turn the crank. Fine bits of cabbage, suitable for sauer kraut will be the result.

SUCCESS IN RAISING TURKEYS

First Consideration Is Desirable Location and Suitable Range-Few Other Essentials.

What do I consider the most important essentials to be a successful turkey raiser? First important consideration desirable location and good range; next, sound, healthy fowls of standard breed to begin with, for no one can succeed without sound, healthy birds to start with. Third, careful feeding. Fourth, keep free from lice. Last, but not least, dry roomy coop so they can be kept out of sudden showers. These equipments, coupled with sound judgment and proper care of poults, should make anyone successful in raising turkeys, says a writer in an exchange.

The way I manage mine after years of experience, I gather the eggs daily, keep in a place neither too cool nor too hot; turn eggs ever day. When the hen gets ready to set make a coop in some dry place, placing 15 or 16 eggs in nest; bring hen up late in evening, place on nest, keep fastened up two or three days, turn out so she can get something to eat and drink. Watch to see if she goes on same nest. When eggs hatch leave poults in nest 36 hours. Move hen and poults to large roomy coop inclosed in pen to keep anything from running over them. Dust hen and little ones with some good insect powder to kill lice.

Feed them egg bread first few days. Give them plenty of fresh water. When they are a few days old give them lettuce and onion tops chopped fine with bread crumbs. Also give them a little chicken feed consisting of grain, small seeds, grit and oyster shells. Keep fastened in coop until strong enough to keep up with hen; turn out in the morning, but see that they come home at night to roost. Sprinkle a little black pepper occasionally in their food, but be sure not to overfeed, as it brings trouble and disaster in its train.

Rules for Poultrymen. It is urged that all farmers and poultrymen adhere strictly to the following rules in handling their poultry and eggs:

1. Keep the nests clean; provide one nest for every four hens. 2. Gather the eggs twice daily. 3. Keep the eggs in a cool, dry

room or cellar. 4. Market the egsg at least twice a week. 5. Sell, kill or confine all male

birds as soon as the hatching season

Cleanliness Is Profitable. Cleanliness in the poultry pens puts many dollars into the pockets of the poultryman.

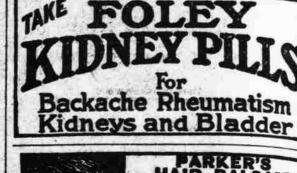
The next time you are married-or, if you will, when you are marrieddon't buy a gold wedding ring. It isn't being done. Platinum wedding rings are the newest thing. Mlle. Jeanne Provost, a French actress, is to blame. She thought of the idea, and when she was married to M. Firpo, she had one. Platinum rings are more expensive

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His Childish Wish,

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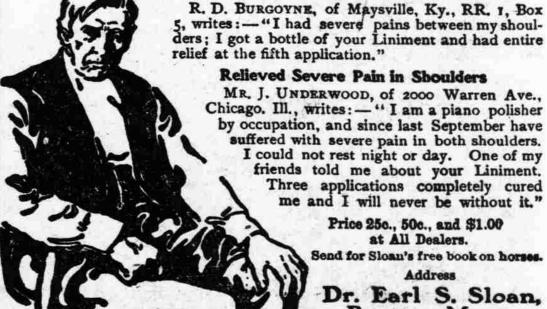
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