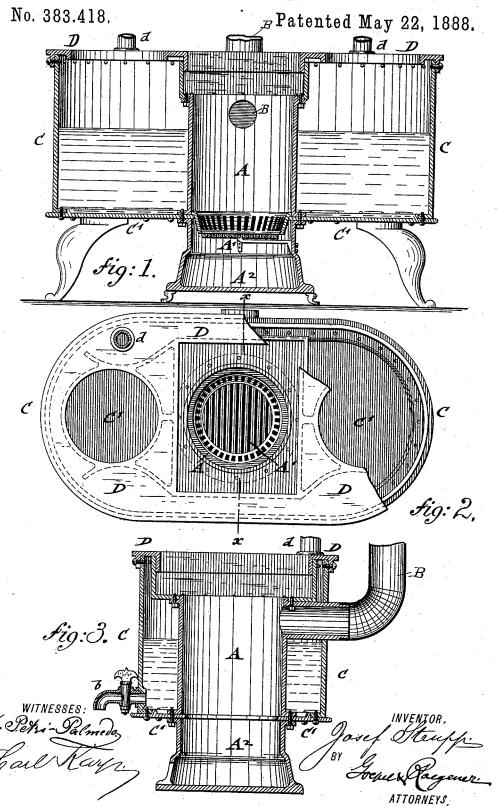
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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JOSEF STRUPP, of the city, county, and State of New York, have invented certain new and useful Improvements in Cooking Stoves, of which the following is a specification.

This invention relates to an improved cooking-stove in which, besides the direct heat of the fire, the heat of steam generated by said to fire is employed for cooking purposes, whereby the loss of heat caused by radiation is prevented and a more perfect utilization of the fuel obtained.

The invention consists of a cooking stove, which is provided at the center with a fire-pot and an ash-pit below the same and surrounded by a water receptacle or tank that is covered by a top plate having openings for the cooking-vessels and steam-escape pipes, the side and 20 bottom walls of the tank being tightly connected with each other and with the central fire-pot, to prevent leakage of water from the tank.

In the accompanying drawings, Figure 1 25 represents a vertical longitudinal section of my improved cooking stove. Fig. 2 is a plan of the same, with a part of the top plate broken away; and Fig. 3 is a vertical transverse section of the stove on line x x, Fig. 2.

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sponding parts.

At the center of my improved cooking-stove is arranged a cylindrical fire-pot, A, which is provided with a grate, A', of any approved construction, and below the same with an ashpit, A². The smoke-pipe B is connected to the upper part of the fire-pot A. The fire-pot A is surrounded entirely by a water-tank, C, which is preferably of a greater length at both sides of the fire-pot than at the front and rear of the same, and rounded off at the ends, as shown in Fig. 2. The side wall of the water-tank C is tightly secured by a bottom flange and a suitable packing to the bottom plate, C', of the tank, said bottom plate being also applied in a water-tight manner to the flanged

of the tank, said bottom plate being also applied in a water-tight manner to the flanged abutting edges of the fire-pot and ash-pit, the parts being connected together by a number of bolts or nuts. The top plate, D, is also

bolted by an exterior flange to the upper edge 50 of the side wall of the tank C, and provided with an oblong center opening above the firepot for the roasting pan, and with round openings at both sides of the same for the cookingvessels. The upper part of the fire-pot A is 55 extended at the front and rear, forming the roasting chamber for the roasting pan, as shown in Fig. 3. The top plate, D, is provided with two steam-escape pipes, dd, by which the steam is conducted off to the chim-60 nev

By the heat of the fire-pot the water in the tank C is heated and steam generated, the heat of which cooks the vegetables or other eatables in the cooking vessels. The surplus steam 65 escapes through the escape pipe, so that there is no extra pressure on the walls of the tank, and consequently no danger of bursting the same. The water is replenished from time to time, it being filled up to a point below the lower part 7c of the smoke-pipe and drawn off, whenever hot water is needed, through a faucet, b. The stove permits the full utilization of the heat of the fuel and produces a moist and pleasant heat in the room where it is located. It fur- 75 nishes hot water whenever the same is required and is very economical in fuel, as no heat is lost by radiation, but utilized for generating steam. The stove is specially adapted for tenement-houses and other places which So have no range-boilers or other expensive connections with the fire-place of the stove.

Having thus described my invention, I claim as new and desire to secure by Letters Patent—

The combination of a stove-body comprising 85 a water tank, a fire-pot disposed centrally within said tank, a top plate provided with a central opening opposite the fire-pot and with openings opposite the tank, and a roasting-chamber at the top of the fire-pot below said 90 top plate, substantially as described.

In testimony that I claim the foregoing as my invention I have signed my name in presence

of two subscribing witnesses.

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Witnesses:

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