

# Royal Baking Powder

## Absolutely Pure

**DISTINCTIVELY A CREAM OF TARTAR BAKING POWDER**

Royal does not contain an atom of phosphatic acid (which is the product of bones digested in sulphuric acid) or of alum (which is one-third sulphuric acid) substances adopted for other baking powders because of their cheapness.

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Call on us before You make any Arrangements in Marketing your goods

We have a nice lot of hay and oats in our warehouse which we offer to the local trade in a retail way, at wholesale prices. We have a car of Fancy fresh water melons from Milton, Oregon, due here tomorrow morning. These will be the finest of the season on this market. Buy your melons now while they are good, as the melon season will soon be over for a year.

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**A Square Deal**

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That the lumber industry of the Northwest, great as it is has only made a beginning is plain and self evident.

Joseph Gilden, the inventor of the barbed wire is dead, but the creation of his brain will continue to be useful for all the time to come.

The assessor's roll shows the total tillable acreage in Union county to be 141,000 acres. The proper distribution of water would easily double this amount.

The county court is certainly right in demanding a strict accounting of money annually spent upon our county roads, which amounts to thousands of dollars each year.

Labor Commissioner O. P. Hoff in his official report to the forthcoming session of the legislature estimates the population of the state of Oregon at 433,574, as against 413,536, in 1900, an increase of 20,038.

Some of these days the people of Oregon will wake up to the fact that a forty road can be kept in repair at a much less expense than our present wide thoroughfares. Many states in the east became aware of this waste of money and the change years ago.

The next legislature will re-apportion the state with reference to the number of state senators and state representatives, the several counties will have. Ten years ago we lost out and the wrong should be righted this time. To illustrate according to the state census Union county is credited with 14,700 with only

one representative. Jackson county with 100,000 inhabitants has two; Yamhill with 100,000 has two and so on.

This is the advice of Governor Folk of Missouri deals out to citizens and merchants. He says:

"We are proud of our splendid cities and we want them to increase in wealth and population and we also want our country towns to grow. We wish the city merchants to build up, but we also desire the country merchants to prosper. I do not believe in the small order citizen. If a place is good enough for a man to live in and make his money it is good enough for him to spend it in. No merchant can succeed without advertising in one way or another. Patronize your own papers build them up and they will build up your town and increase trade and opportunities. Do not be afraid that business is going to be hurt by the recent exposures of the wrong doing in the commercial world. No man who is doing an honest business can be injured by light."

Wool is now among the most important of Oregon's industries. A third of all the sheep in the United States are owned in the northwest and Billings Montana and the Dalles in Oregon are the greatest initial wool-markets in the country. Last year Oregon produced 22,000,000 pounds of wool, Montana 25,000,000, Washington 15,000,000, and Idaho 13,000,000. Most of this product was sent to Massachusetts which has the greatest number of woolen mills of any State in the union. Nowhere in the world except in Australia is there finer or better wool produced than in Oregon.

These conditions are at their best in eastern Oregon and the uplands of the Willamette Valley. Prices received for Willamette wool last year ranged from twenty to thirty cents while in Eastern Oregon the wool brought from twenty to twenty-six cents a pound. The finer fleeces of Eastern Oregon wool ranged from six and one half pounds while the coarser ones from the Willamette Valley often weighed as high as fifteen pounds. The Oregon City mills are the largest woolen mills west of the Mississippi river and have been in existence nearly a half a century. Their plant is thoroughly up-to-date and gives employment to about four hundred people.

### Rummage Sale

The ladies of St. Peter's Guild will hold their annual fall rummage sale in the Slater building, Oct. 12 and 13, being Friday and Saturday of this week. They have collected a large and more varied assortment of goods than ever before for their customers to select from. Bear in mind the place and date.

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Expense	2452.70		
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