

Avoid alum and alum phosphate baking powders. The label law requires that all the ingredients be named on the labels. Look out for the alum compounds.

NOTE.—Safety lies in buying only Royal Baking Powder, which is a pure, cream of tartar baking powder, and the best that can be made.

REPRESENT OREGON AT SEATTLE

Governor Appoints Provisional Commission for Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition

Governor Chamberlain this morning appointed a provisional commission to represent Oregon at the coming Yukon-Alaska-Pacific Exposition, that will be held in Seattle in 1909. The state has, as yet, made no appropriation for the Seattle fair, and the members of the commission will foot their own bills. The commissioners were selected on account of their fitness for this work, and for the interest they have shown in the welfare of Oregon. The commission is made up of E. W. Rowe, of Portland; Hon. W. H. Wehrung, of Washington county; Henry E. Reed, of Portland, and J. O. Booth, of Josephine county.

For the Preservation of Wood.

The faculty of wood to withstand atmospheric pressure is so small, compared with its mechanical resistance that a close study of new systems aiming at its preservation is of great interest industrially.

All the wood preservative methods now employed are defective, in so far as they make use of solutions, the evaporative nature of which makes their action upon the wood effectual only for a certain time. The new method in question which has been patented in Germany, goes further and utilizes a fixed body, which becomes solid upon being instilled into the pores of the wood. This substance is sulphur, the physical properties of which offer interesting advantages, being fusible at about 115 degrees, a temperature which the wood can support without any perceptible change. The sulphur is applied in liquid form, and in hardening completely fills up all the interstices of the fibrous tissue.

Although sulphur oxidates easily if subjected to a high temperature, at a medium temperature it remains impassive, resisting not only the influence of water, but also that of acids, concentrated or diluted, and alkaline solutions, if cold. The reason why the utility of sulphur in the direction indicated had not been recognized ere now was on account

of its small mechanical resistance, pure sulphur being very brittle and pulverous. But as wood possesses the quality of mechanical resistance of which sulphur is devoid, the compound of these two bodies may, under the proper conditions, easily acquire valuable industrial properties, as for instance, the vulcanized caoutchouc, which the wood, impregnated with sulphur, resembles a good deal.

To protect wood by means of sulphur the following must be observed, viz. Sulphur is fused in a befitting receptacle, making use of steam to avoid an excess of heat, which deteriorates the sulphur. Into this liquid, and at a temperature of about 140 degrees, are steeped the boards which are to receive the treatment, care being taken to immerse them completely. The foam which gathers at first, called forth by the separation from the wood of the air and humidity it contains disappears at the moment the wood thoroughly assimilates the temperature of the bath, which is then lowered to 110 degrees.

At this point the sulphur becomes hard and, while the air contracts itself, the sulphur penetrates into the fibrous tissues, propelled by atmospheric pressure. The boards are then slowly withdrawn from the bath, allowing a thin and even coat of sulphur to form and cover the wood, as any superfluous surcharge can be removed only with the greatest difficulty afterward. This coat of sulphur has a viscid appearance and forms a very tenacious crust, excluding all tendencies to chip or break.

John Hay on Chicago.

It is a city which has always occupied a large place in my thoughts. It is the home of many of my dearest friends. It is the great emporium of the state in which I passed the days of my childhood and my youth. It is, in a certain sense, my twin. I was born in the first year of its civil life. We were young together, but there, I am sorry to say, the parallel ends. Aurora and Tithonus were young together; but the one grew old and gray, while the other flourished in immortal beauty and youth. In the days when Chicago and I were both young, it was my lot to see a good deal of the outside world, and it was always a pleasure to me, in viewing what was most interesting and picturesque in decaying civilizations, to think, by way of contrast, of the brilliant and vigorous municipality that was swiftly taking shape on the shores of Lake Michigan, unlike anything hitherto seen. I talked about it as young men will talk about things that interest them, and was sometimes good-naturedly rallied on my vehement claims and large prophecies. But whenever I come here I see how far beyond the possibilities of brag are the simple facts of your marvelous growth. The boasting of the traveling man, the prophetic raptures of poets, are alike inadequate. Chicago speaks for herself in a language of her own—a language the world must learn to interpret, for Chicago is a fact in which the world is concerned.—From an undelivered address published in Putman's.

It is enough that a woman should be well and strong to be charming and beautiful, in order to be this she must take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, one of the greatest beautifiers known. Tea or Tablets, 35c. Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

Silver Bobs Up Serenely.

Silver, like Banquo's ghost, won't down. More silver is being mined and the demand increases. It is a healthy and an encouraging demand, a demand both monetary and industrial. The United States government is taking 100,000 ounces a month for coining subsidiary money, and Asia during the first half of this year purchased 75,000,000 ounces, and is continuing its buying heavily. France is a buyer in the open market.

While silver advanced to 68 cents an ounce we hear no more talk of employing it to plate warships. No more scoffing at the "pale drudge." The world has uses for the white metal, and we must bear in mind that the population of the earth has increased by many millions of people since the India mints were closed to silver some 13 years ago.

There was gloom in Mexico then; merchants saw blue ruin impending, and bankers went about with cast-down faces. Pessimists preached on the street corners, and found willing hearers. Men said they would sell out at a sacrifice and go back to Europe. There was to be scuttling out of Mexico by the wise and prudent. Fortunately for them, they took that commendable second thought and remained to make their fortunes, piling up wealth even as silver went down and down. They even began to bend over the edge of the abyss and conjecture cheerfully how far it was to the bottom. Silver was surely going down to the ultimate depth. Yet, somehow, men felt deep in their hearts that a miracle might be accomplished. The first Bryan campaign was watched with eager interest from the tableland of Mexico. His defeat was felt by many as a personal vanquishment. Yet silver survived, and so did the commentators of Capuchinas, Lerdo and other seats of financial rumination.

Dona Plata is doing very well now, she has ardent suitors, and wears a smile as of one who had good news from a far country. Gold is good; we all want it, but we do not regard silver as being as base as lead. The owners of silver mines are chirking up. They will be ordering champagne for breakfast pretty soon.—Mexican Herald.

Strange Plague Ravishes Town.

New York, Oct. 25.—The World says that an epidemic of disease, which doctors have confessed themselves unable to diagnose, and which has assumed threatening proportions in the town of Mariner's Harbor, on Staten Island, and has thrown residents of that place into a panic. Hundreds of persons have sold or closed their houses and moved to other parts of the island. The disease has already brought two victims to the grave, and there are at present under treatment over 300 cases.

The victims are first attacked by fever and soon red blotches cover their bodies. At its inception the malady confined itself to the ranks of Austrian laborers, nearly 3000 of whom have been brought to the town from Buffalo, N. Y., recently, to construct new factory buildings. Within the past week, however, the disease has spread to the townspeople.

Cures Chills and Fever.

G. W. Wirt, Nacogdoches, Texas, says: "His daughter has chills and fever for three years; he could not find anything that would help her till he used Herbine. His wife will not keep house without it, and cannot say too much for it." 50c. Sold by D. J. Fry's drug store.

A Young Mother at 70.

"My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until 6 months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Sets stomach, liver, and kidneys right, purifies the blood, and cures malaria, biliousness and weakness. Wonderful nerve tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed by J. C. Perry's drug store.

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X-RAYS

The New York World is giving Hearst the strongest support it can. It is fighting him.

If Moody goes on the supreme bench, Massachusetts will have two of its citizens in that body.

Portland has organized a five million dollar mining syndicate. It either has money enough or sufficient credit to issue a "prospectus."

It is said that "God loves a shining mark," but it is probably different about a mining shark.

The advertisement of the concert to be given Friday night reads: "Opening Concert, Dr. R. A. Heritage, Basso Cantante." This may be true, but if Dr. Heritage can't "ante" he can't play. This does not indicate he can't sing.

England to Reduce Navy.

London, Oct. 25.—It was announced at the admiralty office today that arrangements are being made for the paying off of eight first class battleships and four armored cruisers and to strike eight first class battleships from the sea-going list before the end of the year. The result of this will be that the ships in home and nearby waters will number 18 to 20 instead of 24 and 8 instead of 12 armored cruisers. There will be five ships in the Mediterranean squadron instead of seven. The strength of the fleet will thus be reduced about one-fourth.

Sure Cure for Piles.

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Heritage and Von Jessen—

At the Opera House tomorrow evening.

PORTLAND STRIKE SETTLED

Portland, Oct. 25.—The front strike was virtually settled on a compromise this morning. Union grain handlers agreed to work alongside the strike-breakers on Montgomery dock No. 2. Unionists will be employed at other docks. A nine-hour day was agreed upon and 35 cents an hour pay, with time and a half for overtime, and the minimum of a day employment. The agreement will be signed by both sides this afternoon.

UTES MOSTLY SQUAWS.

Will Be Returned to Their Reservation.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Oct. 25.—There is no Indian war, and there will be none. Omaha reports of a sensational uprising for two months are full of fakes. Two hundred "bitten Utes, mostly squaws, and guns, none of which are able or willing to fight, have been drinking, rousing and making "heaps talk" near Gillette, Wyoming, the storm prevented the troops pursuing them. Fresh horses and supplies have been sent the soldiers. A small detachment asked them to surrender, and they replied they were going to Montana. They ran down Powder valley at the approach of a sizeable body and will be returned to the reservation without bloodshed.

Bryan Opens Ohio Campaign.

Montpelier, O., Oct. 25.—Bryan this morning opened the Ohio campaign, urging the voters to support Judge Kinkaid, the Republican independent candidate for circuit judge. He declared the judiciary must be free from politics.

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