

How to Detect the Alum Baking Powder

"Which are the alum baking powders; how can I avoid them unless they are named?" asks a housekeeper.

Here is one way: take the can of a low-priced powder in your hand and read the ingredient clause upon the back label. The law requires that if the powder contains alum that fact must be there stated. If you find one of the ingredients named alum, or sulphate of aluminum, you have found an alum baking powder.

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CORRESPONDENCE

HUBBARD.
Otis Wood, of Omaha, is the new railway agent at this place.
Toys for the children at C Anderson Co's.
Mrs S Larsen, Mrs C M Rasmussen and Mrs A Andersen visited Tuesday at the E Christensen home.
We want all your eggs, butter and produce, and will pay the top price for it. C Anderson Co.
Mamie Clausen and Carrie Nelson were in Sioux City from Saturday until Monday.
Everything in fancy groceries for the holiday trade. Let us help you get up that Christmas dinner and save you a lot of work. C Anderson Co.
Dan Hartnett returned home Monday night from Cherokee, Ia. Mr Hartnett has been in a hospital the past week doctoring for a cancer on his face.
Grandma Hanson is visiting at the Rasmus Nelson home this week.
We are headquarters for Santa Claus this year in Hubbard, and we invite you to call and look over our assortment of holiday goods. So many things suitable for Christmas presents for every member of the family, and at the most reasonable prices. C Anderson Co.
Mr and Mrs E Christensen, Mrs W Nelson and baby, Miss Abbie Rockwell and Mrs Ernest Geortz were Sunday guests at the W Geortz home.
Sunday school at 10 o'clock a m. Public worship every 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month at 11 a m, in the Lutheran church.
Mrs Herman Renze returned Saturday from Cherokee, Ia, where she had been the past week doctoring.
Joe Smith spent the first of the week at Naocora.
We have just got in our stock of toys for Christmas and it will be worth your while to come in and look over the new things before they are all gone. C Anderson Co.
Miss Ann Farrell visited last Saturday at the Tom Hartnett home at Jackson.
The Woodman lodge held their annual election of officers Tuesday evening, December 9th. Installation takes place January 16th.
All who owe me on book account for harnes work, are hereby notified to call and settle by December 20th, as I need the money and must have a settlement of some kind. Carl Fredrickson.

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Farmers of Arthur county are studying the waste problem, according to information received by the state board of agriculture. Hundreds of bushels of potatoes have been lost heretofore owing to unfavorable market conditions. Twenty-five farmers have banded themselves together to erect a denatured alcohol factory and use the waste potatoes in the manufacture of this product.

Items of Interest from our Exchanges

Allen News: Col O Thompson went to Jackson today to complete arrangements for a big combination there.

Sloan, Ia, Star: Patrick O'Neill went to Jackson, Neb, last Monday to attend the funeral of a niece who died at St Joseph's hospital, Sioux City, and was taken to Jackson for burial.

Bascom Items in Emerson Enterprise: Miss Florence Warner spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Homer. Lyman Hutchins and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs Hutchins' mother, Mrs Jane Ward.

Walthill Times: Mrs Purdy, of Homer, was in Walthill Wednesday afternoon. Mr and Mrs Leonard Thacker, of Union, went to Homer Monday after a visit of a couple of days with C T Moore and family.

Wynot Tribune: The family of H A McCormick spent Thanksgiving with relatives in South Sioux City. Mrs W O Jones went to Jackson Saturday to visit her daughter, Margaret, who is attending the academy there. Miss Margaret came home with her mother for a few days visit.

Emerson Enterprise: John Johns, of Constance, Cedar county, is a candidate for United States marshal to succeed Wm Warner, whose term, however, does not expire for some time. He has the endorsement of Senator Hitchcock and Congressman Stephens, and other influential democrats.

Ponca Journal: Mr and Mrs W F Mikesell arrived in Ponca Saturday for a visit with relatives and friends. They reside near Twin Falls, Idaho. Mr Mikesell was formerly cashier in the Bank of Dixon County. R C Caulk, of Allan, was a business visitor in Ponca last Friday and Saturday. While in town, Mr Caulk attended the Dakota City-Ponca football game. Bob says it must have been a good game by the way the people yelled, but it was beyond his comprehension.

Lyons Mirror: John Nixon and wife, of Homer, ate turkey with their mother, Mrs Florence Nixon. The battle of Lookout Mountain was fought 60 years ago last week, where the editor's father, Col Jesse F Warner, fought with Hooker "above the clouds." After the battle Col Warner made a pipe of laurel wood from the top of Lookout Mountain and we have this pipe on exhibition at the Mirror office. All the soldiers and others should stop in and see this time honored relic of that bloody war.

Winnabago Obituary: J M King, of the Homer state bank, was in Winnabago Monday on business. Last Sunday he missed a treat by not being at home when Frank Chruch and his lady friend, Miss Estella Culp; Sherman McKinley and Fred Brassfield, all of Homer, and T T Harris called to have us join them in a practice of some male quart selections. These men have good voices and an afternoon put in with them would have been a bright spot on last Sunday's page of our memory book. They were the guests of Mr and Mrs T T Harris. With the promise that they would come again soon, we help-od see them off at the depot.

wards & Bradford Lumber company, which was taken out of school this morning, makes the number in that town up to the present time about a dozen. This is the second case that has developed in the schools in the last week. A few days ago the nine year old daughter of Mr and Mrs Charles Wadell was taken sick and the family was quarantined. The daughter had a light attack but Mrs Wadell, who contracted the disease from her daughter, is having a very serious attack. The dozen cases have developed in the last month or six weeks. A number of these have been in the country in the vicinity of the city. It is not believed that any of the cases will prove fatal.

Homer Star: Harold Taft, of Norfolk, was a visitor at the Bangors farm last week. W H Mason and wife, of Fullerton, Neb, spent Thanksgiving and several days with Garrett Mason and family. Mrs Fred Edwards went to Greenville, Ia, Thanksgiving morning to bring back her father, O M Johnson, for a short visit. H N Wagner and Miss Lena Wilkins spent Sunday at LeMars, Ia, with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs J E Wagner, and family. Johnny Jordan, the son of Mr and Mrs Chas Jordan, is improving after an operation for tonsillitis, which was performed last week in Sioux City. William Brown spent Thanksgiving at the home of his father, S A Brown. "Bill" (now means his mistake) is a traveling salesman for the Des Moines Iron company, of Des Moines, Ia. Mrs Matney, one time a Homer resident, but now of Horseshoe, Neb, is at present in a hospital at Lincoln, where she underwent an operation for cancer. She is reported to be progressing nicely and will return to Rock county as soon as she is able.

Sioux City Journal, 6: Died, in South Sioux City, Friday, December 5, 1913, Frank Monroe, aged 80 years, of dropsy. Deceased was a former resident of Sioux City and at one time operated a grocery store at Greenville. He is survived by his wife. Funeral will be held from the residence at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment will be made in the Graceland Park cemetery. A South Sioux City trolley car crashed into a truck of the Dougherty & Bryant firm at Third and Douglas streets yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The driver of the van, Ray Wright, 22 years old, was thrown under the car. He was unscathed except for a few scratches. The horses were severely out. The glass in the front part of the car was demolished. The funeral of E A Herman, who died Thursday morning, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at West-coast's chapel. Rev E H Stevens, of the First Baptist church, will officiate. Services will be under the auspices of General Hancock post. Interment will be in Logan Park cemetery. When Mr Herman was a boy of 9 years old he lost his father and supported the family by working on a canal in Ohio. At the age of 13 he entered upon an apprenticeship of five years. In 1861 he enlisted in the civil war. He was among the first to enlist from the state of New Jersey. He first enlisted for six months, then reenlisted for three years. He was wounded in the head near the temple. The cap which he wore saved his life. Mr Herman was a sergeant and fought in the famous battle of Bull Run under Gen George B McClellan, and was also in the battle of Antietam. In 1855, February, he married Miss Sarah Goren, of Millville, N J. She died at the age of 63, leaving five children, all of whom are living. He married Mrs Edith Kinkaid, of this city, November 18, 1903. In 1880 he arrived in Plymouth county, Ia, and had two farms during the nine years he resided there. After that he was employed by the city as sanitary police officer for two years under the late Mayor Burton, and held the same office during the term of E W Caldwell. He served as sanitary officer under Mayors Burton, Sears, Caldwell and Smith and was first steward of the detention hospital. He resigned on account of ill health April 1. Mr Herman was 80 years old. He leaves a widow and five children. They are: Mr A E Baum, Brooklyn, N Y; C W Herman, Sioux City; R J Herman, Hawarden, Ia; E A Herman, jr, Plymouth county, Ia, and Mrs E Bristol, of Sioux City. He also leaves sixteen grandchildren.

JACKSON.
Mr Leis and family are moving this week to Waterbury, Neb, where they will farm one of Mr Smith's farms, about a mile from Waterbury. We are sorry to lose this estimable family.
Catherine Hodgins is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs Bert Chase, at Wakefield, Neb.
Catherine Bellejour, of Sioux City, spent over Sunday in the E T Kennelly home.
Mr and Mrs L P Murray, of Waterbury, spent over Sunday with relatives here.
Mrs William Garner departed last week for a visit with relatives at Elkhorn, Neb.
Mrs P T Carey, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is somewhat improved.
Mrs J E Welsh is enjoying a visit from her brother, Earl McKinney, of Tekamah, Neb.
Frank Francisco departed last week for York, Neb, where he will attend college the remainder of the year.
Joseph Waters returned from Early, Ia, Saturday evening.
Mrs O P Garvey and daughter, Maurine, of Hartington, Neb, are visiting relatives here.
Margaret O'Keefe returned to her home at Valentine, Neb, Monday, after a weeks visit in the Dr Leahy home.
Ella Leahy was called from La Junta, Col, by the illness of her brother, Dr B J Leahy, who at this writing is critically ill.
Contractor A Kettler, of Dubuque, Ia, has been here the past week looking after the building of the church, which work is progressing rapidly. His wife accompanied him.
Merritt Barber met with a serious and painful accident at his home Saturday evening while doing some repairing to his engine. His foot caught in the gearing, badly bruising three of his toes, and it is feared one of them will have to be amputated.
Thos and William Hartnett had two car loads of cattle on the South Omaha market Monday. They accompanied the shipment.

ROMELL.
Henry Loomis was a visitor at Dakota City Monday night.
A baby girl was born Sunday to James T Hatch and wife.
George Harris has gone to Hershey, Wis, for a visit with relatives.
A baby boy was born to Myron Bates and wife last week, also a son to Claude Thacker and wife.
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has been moved into their fine, new brick building just completed, and they now have one of the finest stores in the county.
Jas M King, who a year ago assumed the management of the Homer State bank as cashier, has resigned his position. Mr Small of Winnebago succeeds him temporarily.
Mr and Mrs Rasmus Fredericksen, of Newell, Ia, were here last week visiting relatives and old friends. They formerly resided here, but moved to Newell several years ago, where they operate a hardware store.

SALES.
Mrs Edward Morgan was hostess to the members of the W Y D club Wednesday afternoon. The rooms and luncheon table were decorated in pink and white, ornate flowers being the choice of flowers. The afternoon hours were devoted to a literary program. An oyster stew was indulged in.
Mrs W A Dunne and son Floyd, after several months' visit at the O A Sides home, left yesterday for her home in Canada.
Henry Ebel and wife returned Friday from a ten days' visit in Illinois with relatives and friends.
Wm Bouton left Wednesday for Raymond, S D, where he will spend the winter with Mrs Habert Phillips and Wm Bouton, jr.
B M Boals met with an unusual experience last Thursday while sorting hogs, resulting in one getting him in the face, tearing several wounds in his flesh. He is confined to his bed but is gaining rapidly.

SOUTH SIOUX CITY
From the record—
The home of Chas Waddell is quarantined for smallpox. Mrs Waddell is sick.
Rev J L Phillips was up from Battle Creek Friday. He and Mrs Phillips had been at Pender for Thanksgiving.
Mrs C A Manning was taken to a Sioux City hospital this week where she was operated on for a growth on her arm. She is reported as recovering nicely.
Mrs Julia Mikesell and daughter, Miss Gertrude, have announced that they will return to their home at Twin Falls, Ida, about the first of the year.
Mr and Mrs Joe Carney, of Wichita, Kan, were visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs J H Hogan, last week. They were here to attend the funeral of Mr Carney's sister, Mrs Heenan at Jackson.
Mrs Susan B Kirkstead, of Norfolk, president of the state assembly of Rebekah lodges, will visit the South Sioux City lodge next Tuesday evening. A large attendance is expected and special efforts are being made to put on the work in good shape.
Miss Ella Tremballe, a teacher in the public schools, writes from her home in Bloomfield, where she had gone for Thanksgiving vacation, that she will be unable to return to her work. Her mother fell and broke an arm and she will be compelled to remain with her. Mrs R G Harvey is substituting in her place.

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Pastor Russell in a College City Advocates Bible as Text Book.
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Ithaca, N. Y., March 16.—Pastor Russell is here; and in view of this being the seat of Cornell University he took as a text the words of the philosopher: "Wisdom from Above the noblest science, the best instruction." It must be said, however, that the Pastor used various Scriptures, any one of which might have served for a text.
Once the colleges represented, not merely secular education, but the religious sentiment of their founders, usually religious men. Today, however, colleges are ashamed to acknowledge any religious affiliations; and although they represent high moral principles, nevertheless, they are hot-beds of infidelity—disbelief in the Bible as the Divine Inspired Revelation. This condition is deplorable.
In the Pastor's opinion the great institutions of learning, so well equipped for the inculcation of faith in God, are doing more to overthrow faith than are all other influences combined. The increase of knowledge he believed to be accountable for the increase of vice. He explained that the undermining of faith in the Bible as the Word of God and the inculcation of the Evolution theory tend to destroy all faith in a personal God and in rewards and punishments from Him. One of the most peculiar things was that very wealthy men have richly endowed leading colleges, thereby destroying faith and unintentionally leading mankind to social revolution, to the precipice of anarchy.
Sympathy For Higher Critics.
Nothing in the Pastor's words indicated condemnation; on the contrary, he manifested a deep sympathy for those entangled in the snares of Occultism and Evolution. He had been entangled once himself, he said, but had gotten free. Had he gone so far as to doubt the existence of God, he believed that he would have been as lost in Evolution as are many of the noble men occupying college chairs.
The Pastor believes the difficulty is that many cannot accept the Bible as the inspired Record. So also he had once rejected it; for he had thought it to be in harmony with the absurd creeds of the Dark Ages. Now he is a most firm believer in the inspiration of the Bible. One of the surprising things his Bible study has revealed is that the Bible supports none of the creeds; and that none of the creeds or sects use all of the Bible. Each sect has selected doctrines from the Word of God, and uses these in its own defense. But each finds there teachings which do not fit in with its creed.
Evidently none of the sects manufactured the Bible. Had the Calvinists done so, they would have omitted texts teaching Free Grace. Arminians would have omitted Election. Catholics would have added something to teach the immaculate conception, indulgences, high and low mass, holy water, holy candles, apostolic succession, etc. All would have put in texts telling about the Trinity.
All would have omitted texts teaching that the dead are asleep, to awaken in the resurrection morning. Indeed, it is most difficult for them to explain how there can be a resurrection, if those who seem to die are really more alive than ever. Evidently the Bible was not made by man.
My prayer and effort is that thinking Christians may see that this wonderful Book, while out of harmony with itself, is fully in harmony with itself. The great Plan of salvation which the Bible sets forth towers far above all the efforts of puny men, represented in the creeds of Christendom. The Bible Message could not have come from elsewhere than Above.

Learning's True Value and Cost.
Learning along all lines of present day instruction is surely valuable. The applied sciences are doing much for the world. But while very important and helpful to human progress, these alone are not sufficient. The human mind must have a theory respecting its future destiny and the object of its present existence. The searcher for knowledge along these lines is usually referred to Plato and Socrates. None seem to think of progress in mental philosophy beyond these giants of the past. Yet, if the Evolution theory be true, these men were much nearer the money state than we are today.
He believes that unless the highest organs of the human brain—the those pertaining to religion and morality—be cultivated, the student is poorly prepared to withstand the storms of life.

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