A serious danger menaces the health of the people of this country in the numerous alum baking powders that are now being urged upon the public.

There is no question as to the detrimental effect of these powders upon the system. Every Board of Health, every physician, will tell you of the unwholesome qualities they add to the food. countries have absolutely prohibited the sale of bread containing

Even small doses of alum, given to children, have produced fatal results, while cases of heartburn, indigestion, griping, constipation, dyspepsia, and various kindred gastric troubles from irritation of the mucous membrane, caused by the continuous use of food prepared with the alum or alum-phosphate powders, are familiar in the practice of every physician.

It is not possible that any prudent housewife, any loving mother, will knowingly use an article of food that will injure the health of her household, or perhaps cause the death of her chil

How shall the dangerous alum powders be distinguished? And how shall the danger to health from their use be avoided?

Generally, alum powders may be known from the price at which they are sold, or from the fact that they are accompanied by a gift, are disposed of under some scheme. The alum powder costs but a few cents a pound to make, and is often sold at 20 or 25 cents a pound price may be 30, 40 or 50 cents a pound.

It is impossible to name all the alum powders in the market, but any baking powder sold at a low price, or advertized as costing only half as much as cream of tartar powders, accompanied by a present, or disposed of under any scheme, is of this class, detrimental to health, and to be avoided.

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These facts should incline consumers to turn a deaf car to all importunities to buy the inferior powder. If a grocer urges the sale of the cheap, impure, alum brands, it should be borne in mind that it is because he can make more profit on them. The wise housekeeper will decline in all cases to take them.

Take no chances through using a doubtful article where so important a matter as the healt's or life of dear ones is at stake.

There's Money in Shoe Polishing

"Do they make money out of smal things in a hotel?" exclaimed the Naw York drummer with the last to cat-like tread. "Well, may house for charge un terucialed if they don't. I'll give you an illustration. Out in a city where they are going to hold a big fair, there's one particular big hotel of many. A space in the basement is devoted to the bootblacking establishment. Every shine is registered on an indicator. There are about twenty chairs. I have seen as high as 550 shines registered in one day. It never falls below 450. We will say that 500 is a fair daily average. At ten cents a shine the day's receipts are fifty dollars, or \$350 a week, \$1500 a month, and \$18,500 a year-the income of a fortune of \$100,000 at five per cent, and all from so trifling a thing as bootblacking. - Washington Star.

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A CELESTIAL RESTAURANT.

YORK'S CHINATOWN.

Number of Queer Dishes Were Served-Eating With Chop Sticks -Tea Free as Water.

NE of the New York Sun re-

porters visited Chinatown with a party of friends and tried . Chinese dinner. One of the party, who used to frequent the famous Chinese restaurant in San Francisco and was familiar with the dishes and the routine of a Chinese dinner, summoned a waiter, a small individual, whose American clothes sat upon him very badly. The waiter brought a small dish of sweet pickle and a butter dish containing a small quantity of a brown sauce resembling Worcestershire. Thu is the Chinese condiment and is ex ceedingly salt. It is called see ou. He also brought each a bowl of steamed rice, surprisingly white and dry, and so cooked that each grain was whole and separate. The tea came next in a small ware pot, with bowls the size of egg cups to drink it from. All this was pre liminary. "Give us some chow chop suy, John,

said the guide. "Forty cents, see?" The Chinaman grunted and disap peared in the kitchen.

"You must always indicate the amount you want of each dish by stating the price," said the guide. "I ordered forty cents' worth of chow chop suy, as that will be enough for us both. While they are preparing it, for it takes a little time, we will car some rece with chop sucks. There is our bread."

Eating with chop sticks is not so difficult a matter as most people suppose. There is a popular ide, that a Chinaman akes a stick in each hand and propels the food into his mouth in some mys terious process peculiar to himself. When the knack is once acquired, however chop sticks prove an efficient table itensil. The sticks are a foot long, onehalf squared, the other rounded and sharpened.

They can be so gripped by their squared ends between the thumb and first finger of the right hand, and steadied and di rected by the fingers, as to become at excellent pair of tongs Tuat is what, a fact, they are in the hand of the diner. Chop sticks are simply a single advance over primitive man's first table tool, the thumb and first finger.

The chow chop suy was brought steaming hot in a large bowl. It appeared to be a stew without gravy. The principal ingredients were chicken livers, American mushrooms, dried Chinese mush rooms, celery, gizzards, and sprouted The whole was flavored with spices and had evidently been treated with oil.

No plates were served, and the stew was eaten Chinese fashion, from the

"A very excellent dish," said the guide, "but don't eat too heartily, for we have several other courses coming. This sprouted rice that you can see in the bowl is deemed very fine by Chinese epicures. They sprinkle rice on a piece f wet cloth until, in the course of a few days, the grains swell and sprout. Then they cook it. Our next dish will be perfumed pork, a great dainty. Meantime, here comes our 'chick' with the sam

Sam shu proved to have form beyrdp of a milky appearance. The waiter brought it in a ware pot like a small, slender tea pot. Cups holding little n ore than a thimbleful were provided. The approved method of taking the brandy is to mix it with the tea, a cup of the liquor in each tiny bowl of tea. It doesn't do to drink too heartily of the mixture. Indeed, the temptation to do so is small. Sam shu is a crude and raw a line of spider's web could be driven

in a bowl. The flesh was lean and tender and had an exceedingly delicate flavor produced by unfamiliar spices.

Meantime the crowd in the restaurant was continually changing. As fast as the diners finished they arose, wiped their faces on their hands (there were no napkins), shuffled to the counter, paid their bills, and left the room. They seldom spoke, and most of the time the room was as silent as a Quaker meeting. The places of those who left were filled by new-comers. The restaurant does a big business.

"Waiter," said the guide, "chow gai men, seventy cents. See?" The little waiter uttered his customary

grunt and vanished.
"Chow gai men," continued the guide, "is one of the dainties. They make it here to perfection. It consists of a mass of spiced macaroni fried crisp in melted fat, like doughnuts, and covered with a dressing of chicken livers, mushrooms and stewed celery. I am sure you will like it. The amount I ordered is enough for half a dozen, but they will not make less, for it is a troublesome dish to handle. This will complete our dinner, for there is no desext or coffee. Our dinner has been exceptional one for this restaurant, notwithstanding that it is the swellest in the ty. There are comparatively few rich Chinamen in New York, and they all ave their own kitchens, presided over by high-priced cooks. The diners are many of them well off, but Chinaman are alway thrifty, and it is possible to five very nicely here at a very small outlay. Our dinner will cost us \$1.30 apiece. Few Chinamen will send more than fifty er sixty cents for a meal. For that amount of money a very excellent linner can be had, for rice is only five cents a bowl and tea is nothing. One or wo nice dishes can be bought for half a dollar. So there you are."

"But many of these Chinamen," said the reporter, "have eaten nothing but

"Yes, hundreds of Chinamen in this city eat nothing else than rice the year round. You see how cheap John can live if he wants to. He comes here and orders a five-cent bowl of rice. He gets all the tes he wants for nothing. costs him fifteen cents a day to live. flundreds more eat rice for all their neals but dinner. Then they buy an extra dish of some sort for twenty-five rents more. Expenses forty cents a day. Tea is not ensidered at all. It is as free as water the property of the proper nd in every home tea is somewhere on It is not even the custom to offer es to visitors. If the visitors want it, t :ey ask for it as unconcernedly as though asking for a glass of water. So it is in

the restaurants. Tea is furnished free a matter of course. The tea in the

restaurants, as well as the tea in shops and private houses, is always of a fine quality. You never get the thick, bitter concection which Americans call tea. It is always a light, fragrant beverage of a corn yellow color, and weak enough to be aromatic and delicious. It is a delicately flavored beverage and not a power-

ful drug that the Chinaman drinks." The little waiter served small plates and an aromatic sauce with the chow gai men, which looked in its deep dish not unlike a smoking plum pudding. The diners plunged their chop sticks through the garnishing of mushrooms and livers, and brought masses of crisp and fragrant macaroni to the surface. This, mixed with a few mushrooms and flavored with the sauce, was delicious. - New York

How to Reac's Old Age.

One of the figures in the British House of Commons is Isaac Holden, who is three years older than Mr. Gladstone. He is hale and strong and in full possession of his mental faculties. The Braiford Observer has lately published an interview in which Mr. Holden explains the way to live long. The normal duration of life, it would seem, is 120 years, being five times the period that it takes for the bones to harden. If people consume much lime their arteries become ossified and the capillary vessels blocked up. If their brains are cut into when they are reaching middle life it is like cutting into a sandbag. To arrive at a normal old age a man must take a good air is frequently changed in the rooms in which he lives. Starch diet produces acidity in the blood and has to be converted into sugar of fruit before it is assimilable. A meat diet is also unde-

sirable. The meals must be regularly taken, and eating and drinking must not go to-gether. Mr. Holden's daily bill of fare s as follows: For breakfast and supper he takes one baked apple, one banana, one orange, twenty grapes and a biscuit made from banana flour with butter. His midday meal consists of three ounces of heef or mutton, reduced to powder in a mortar, and then passed through a colander, with a half cupful of soup occasionally poured over it. Theory is all very well, but Mr. Holden has proved his case by his health and vigor at a period when most men are, to say the least, verging on old age.

Poner in Spicer's Web. "Science can do some wonderful things," said Samuel Watson, a practical engineer, who has been devoting some time to studying the various methods of transporting power from the motor to the machine. "It would strike you as rather funny to see the slender line of a spider's web conveying the power from a 250 horse power engine, wouldn't it? But it has been demonstrated that such a thing can be done. Now let us start with the most common and general methed of transporting power, the ordinary leather belt. bir Robert Bail, an eminent scientific engineer, has found that the heavy, slowrunning belt can, when the conditions are favorable for a change from weight to speed, be made away with, and a light, fast running cotton rope may take its place with a greater amount of satisfaction than the hel of thought it has been demonstrated that a rope as light as sewing-cotton going at the same rate of speed as a rifle ball would satisfactorily carry a single horse-power. Now take the extreme lightest line known to the world, that of the spider's web, and the extreme highest known velocity of travel, which is that of light, and we find, astonishing as it may seem, that if at the speed of light, it would satisfac-Perfumed pork was the nearest approach to civilized diet which was served.

Robert Ball's discovery in this respect is Robert Ball's discovery in this respect is going to be of inestimable value in electricity in a very short while."--Globe-

If You Were on the Moon.

If lunar conditions are favorable to human existence, and it is not certain that they are not, and you could be transported to the top of Pico or some other tall peak or rock on the surface of our "silvery sister world," how do you suppose things would look from such vantage ground? You would probably first turn your eyes in the direction of our earth, the world you had just quitted, but to you it would be a stranger. In place of the somber globe you would naturally expect to behold your eyes would be greeted with a most wonderful sight. The earth would appear to you to be sixty-four times larger than the sun appears to the residents of this mundane sphere; this because the earth has eight imes the diameter of the moon, therefore she must necessarily show the moonites sixty-four times as much surface as the moon shows us. The sun, on the other hand, would appear no larger to you from your observatory on the moon than it does from our globo. The cathe atmosphere being blue it has been decided that the earth must appear as a blue ball to all outside onlookers. What a glorious sight it must be to our lunarian neighbors to look upon a bright blue, swift revolving ball sixty-four times larger than the soul .-- St. Louis Republic.

The Desert Burro Supersed d.

A prospector now in Yums, and who made the trip here from Durango, Col , with two horses, says that the time honored burro, whose ancestry is inseparably mixed up with Mexican history, is not as good an animal for desert travel as the ordinary mustang horse. It has always been considered that the burro had the advantage of the horse in his capacity for endurance on a slim diet. This, the gentleman states, is not so great as is generally considered, although he once had a burro who ate a pair of gum boots and a Navajo blanket one afternoon. This was done merely to show off and was not considered to be a nutritious meal even by the jackass himself, who was of French descent, and merely wished to put on style to humiliate a band of scrub mustang horses with whom he was forced to associate. The gentleman who has had experience with both classes of animals prefers horses to the slow burro and says that although the latter will live a day longer without food or water, yet the distance covered by the horse in a given time is so much in his favor as to render him the superior of the immebile burro. - Yuma (Arizona)

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS.

AR FOR BUKAD CRUMBS A stone jar for bread crumbs is fudis-peasable to a well-appointed pantry. Many housekeepers buy cracker dust for sooking purposes, but bits of grated bread will be found daintier and more appetizing, and in no way is bread kep: better than in a deep stone jar.

Boof joby is an excellent food for invalids and convalescents. Put a pound of lean beef, cut fine, into a porcelainlined stew pan with a pint of cold water. Let it stand half an hour and then put it on the store, where it will heat gradually. When boiling hot skim carefully and put it where it will simmer gently for half an hour. While this is cooking put a third of a box of geletine in two tablespoomful of cold water. Sait the broth to taste and strain, boiling hot, over the golatine. Stir till dissolved. Strain into cups or moulds. Set away to cool.—New York World.

HANDY SHOR CUPBOARD.

A handy boot and shoe cupboard can be improvised out of any old packing case of sultable size. This can be fitted with light matchboard pigeon holes, each holding a pair of shoes. If the lid each holding a pair of shoes. If the lid is available (the case being stood upon its side), it can be fixed to a pair of hinges and form a real miniature cupboard, which, being stained and Aspinallied, will also serve as a seat or small table. Without necessarily troubling a door the case could be covered with oretons or chints, padded on the top will a floor and a sector; if so, the should fall to cover the pigeon holes is generally tackled on to a sheet of cardboard or his, heavy lead buttons slipped in the hom, so that it may fall firmly and keep the dust away.

HOW TO COOK A HAM

Run a knife or skewer into the thickest part of the ham next the bone. If the knife comes out clean the ham is good; if it smells rank and smears the knife the ham is not good. Select your ham, then, according to this rule, and lay it in cold water. Scrape and wash it care fully and hait remain in the water all night. In the morning, when the water enough to cover the ham-is nearly boiling, lay the ham in and keep the water in a simmer. When it has boiled about an hour throw in two carrots, four onions, two heads of celery, a sprig of parsley, two or three blades of mace and four cloves. If the ham is very salt it is well to change the water before putting in the searching, but if you do be sure to change the boiling water. To obtain tendernes mellowness the ham must not be all the boil hard, only simmer. To the ham heat hardens sil meat, especially meat. When the ham is decreased in the law water and let it. meat. When the ham is cool in it. By this means it will retain its moistus. When cool take it out, skin it an i-dredge bread crumbs and pepper over it and set it in the oven pepper over it and set it in the over until it browns.—St. Louis Republic,

BECIPES.

Ham Bale —Chop fine a pound of cold boiled am, add two eggs and two table-spoonfuls of flour, mix well together and

minutes a complete sugar. Another by rubbing to a cream half a cupor butter, powdered sugar and one beaten egg. Flant to suit the taste.

Flannel Cakes Without Eggs-Take two cups of white cornmeal, two quarte of milk, halfa cup of yeast, flour for good batter. Scald the catmeal with a pint of boiling water; stir in the milk and strain through a colander; then add the flour and year. Cover and let the batter stand on morning. Salt, and if at all sour, stiring little soda.

Breakfast Stew—Take cold beef or

mutton, cut tue, put one tablespoonful of currant jelly, one of butter, half of a small onion chopped, the juice of a lemon, with pepper and salt in a small saucepan. Set over the fire, add the meats, stir altogether and let simmer fifteen minutes. Take up in a heated dish and garajsh with chopped cucumber pickles.

Cocoanut creams-Take an equal quantity of cream candy and of desiccated coccanut, work together thoroughly and make into balls. Melt a piece of fondant as before, flavor slightly with lemon or vanilla and dip. If you choose you may color the outside rink. For the coloring take one ounce of powdered cochineal, one ounce of cream tartar, two drams of alum, half a pint of water, boil until reduced to one-half, strain through a cloth and bottle.

Homemade Candy-Au old and delicious candy is made by boiling a pint of cream with a pound of maple sugar; put them over the fire together and lot them heat slewly until the sugar is melted, then boil rapidly for one hour;
if the augar is fery moist longer boiling
will be required. Pour into well
buttered tin pans lined with waxed
paper; when partially cold cut into squares like caramel. Just before it is taken from the fire walnut or butternut meats are sometimes dropped into one part of it for variety.

Mulligatawny Soup--Fry in a little butter three small, slice I onions, two tablespoonfuls of minced ham, half a fowl, or half a rabbit; when slightly browned pour over two quarts of veal stock and simmer gently for an hour. Add an even tablespoonful of curry powder and an ounce of almonds pounded to a paste with the ju'ce of half lemon. The soup is not strained, and boiled rice and pickled mangoes go with it. It owes its clumsy name, which means literally "pepper water," to restaurateurs of a hundred years ago who introduced, under this name, the familiar curry soup of India.

Minute Pudding-Properly made this s a most delicious dessert, but is also true that when rightly made its name is a misnomer, since many minutes are required instead of one. The fresher and richer the milk the better the pudding. The moment the milk reaches the boil ing point, have an assistant ready to stir in five tablespoonfuls of flour, that has been wet to a smooth batter, with one cup of milk reserved from the quart, and while this is being done stir faithfully. Now place at ones over a vessel of boil ing water and let it cook five minutes longer; stir in two well beaten eggs and cook three minutes more. Serve at once with any nice sauce.

CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

THE CRUISE OF THE RLVES. Three elves sailed forth on a flake of show, And a great wind soon began to blow. "We must take in sall at once," said they, "With a yeo, heave ho! -heave ho, belay! Then they looked about them, fore and aft, But they found no sail on their snowflake craft.

"We must port our helm instead," said they, With a yeo, heave ho!-heave bo, belay!" But, alas, there wasn't a helm to shift,

So they ran aground on a big snowdrift. "This isn't bad seamanship," said they. "With a yeo, heave ho!-heave ho, belay!"

"You can't reef sails that you havn't got, Or port your helm where a belm is not; "But we know what should be done," said

With a yeo, heave ho !- heave ho, belay." To Elftown straight from that spot they

And they paced the streets with a naval 'Twas a most successful cruise," said they,

With our yeo, heave hol-heave ho, belay !" -[Felix Leigh, in St. Nicholas.

HOLLAND'S LITTLE QUEEN.

If any little American maid who is queen by right divine and has had her will and way ever since she could hold a rattle box, even if she doesn't know it, thinks it would be a fine thing to be a real queen with a crown of gold and jewels and to wear her Supday things every day, it will be well for her to read something of what is expected of Queen Wilhelmina of Holland. In the first place she has as many corner stones to lay, ships to christen and great bazaars to open as does that overworked man, the Prince

Then there are lessons to learn from masters and mistresses galore. Indeed, at a great court festivity the child Queen was heard consoling one of her cousins who was complaining of lessons, saying: "I, too, must learn such a stupidly stupid lot." Already the speaks equally well Dutch, French, English and German, and masters come every day to teach her other branches. She is fond of music, and shows considerable promise of talent, inheriting this taste from her father, who once composed an opera-There is but an half-hour's respite from the lessons in the morning, and in the afternoon there is always the cooking and sewing, for every Dutch maiden must be a good Hausvrow. A retinue of 80 dolls the little girl has of all sorts and conditions, but an addition to her numerous family gives her greater pleasure than anything olse.

The German Emperor sent her at Christmas a whole regiment of lead soldiers in most resploudent uniform. Some day the baby Louise will teach ner father what a waste of money it is to send soldiers to agirl. When these dolls are very, very bad, after the manner of dollies the world over, their royal mother punishes them by making them bow, and bow, and bow to an imaginary public, which the Queen thinks is the most disagreeable thing one can have to do. This doll family lives in a chalet in the garden, and here the Queen brings all the friends who come to visit her. They play at housekeeping, just as all little girls do, and the Queen always insists on being the servant. It was the Princess Victoria, who, when a child, went to visit a dear old lady that allowed her to do just as she pleased, and she always pleased to have a pail of suds and wash the windows.

Wilhelmina of Holland doesn't begin to have the pretty things to wear that the little girls here enjoy, even those whose fathers are not wealthy and whose mothers make the frocks themselves, for the Dutch idea of dress is deplorably inartistic. She often wears the peasant dress of the different provinces when she travels through them, and when her old nurse comes to visit her she finds, not a Queen child, but a little peasant mald dressed Just like herself. Sometimes the quaint caps are very heavy and hot, but the little girl wears them until her head aches, learning the lessons early that all queens must learn .- [N. Y. Sun.

Unexpected Wealth.

I have heard it said by a friend of the late Albert Way, the well-known archaeologist, that he came by a fortune in this wise. Crossing Pall Mall he cannoned against an old gentleman, and discomfited him. After mutual apologics and the interchange of civilities, cards were exchanged, and on each card was imprinted "Mr Albert Way." The older gentleman dying had no natural heir, and left his fortune to the other Albert Way. -[The Spectator.

Three different boring machines, deigned to cut out a central bore 24 feet in diameter, were invented for use in the Hoosac tunnel.

A Gigantic Gerilla.

At a meeting of the Anthropological Society in Berlin, Lieutenant Morgen has reported that his assistants, at a place twenty-five days' march from the coast of Cameroon, Africa, shot a gorilla of such a size that the measure across its chest was seventy inches, and its shoulders were as wide as those of three men united. The creature had to be dragged to the station by the united strength of sixteen men, so heavy was it. Hitherto no gorilla has been seen by Europeans beyond the first degree north latitule. - St. James's Ga-

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