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ASSESSMENTS OF 1890 AND 1891.

The following is a comparison of the assessments of Tillamook county for 1890 and 1891.

1890.	1891.
90,722 acres land.....	\$104,669
781 town lots.....	39,405
Improvements.....	52,718
Misc and implements.....	82,314
Money, notes & accounts.....	173,016
Household goods.....	19,613
759 horses and mules.....	25,418
5,404 cattle.....	75,181
1,287 sheep.....	22,359
690 swine.....	758
Gross.....	\$865,482
Indebtedness.....	166,510
Exemptions.....	108,179
Total taxable property.....	\$591,753
Polls.....	406

1891.	1892.
201,126 acres land.....	\$795,592
5,665 town lots.....	157,300
Improvements.....	11,425
Misc and implements.....	90,018
Money notes & accounts.....	169,300
Household goods.....	13,581
764 horses.....	20,131
5,682 cattle.....	80,356
1,276 sheep.....	2,514
591 swine.....	1,017
Gross value.....	\$1,359,851
Indebtedness.....	274,568
Exemption.....	99,740

Taxable property \$1,038,543
Polls 682

There are several remarkable features about the comparison, but the most important is the increase of assessable land and town lots. The acreage is more than double that of last year, and with the lands discovered by Markley & Savage, will be nearly three times what it was last year. However it is probable that some of the land added to the list by Markley & Savage has been discovered and assessed by Assessor E. M. Lamb, who brought in his report about the same time the "present owner book" was completed by Markley & Savage. The "present owner book, however, was not completed in time to be of use to the Assessor this year, and the lands added to the list by the "present owner book" will be assessed by the sheriff this year.

The number of town lots are eight times what they were last year, and the number of Polls have increased by one-half. There are several other changes which furnish food for thought, but our readers can figure out the causes and contingent results to suit themselves.

NOTE.—There are a few minor errors in the figures given above, so the results do not balance exactly, but the amounts are correct, and the data from which we obtained the items is not at hand. However, the items are practically correct.

Since the time of the Wesleya there have been many diverting occurrences in the Methodist camp, but it was left for this day and generation to discover how far enthusiasm could be carried. When women can be influenced to divest themselves of their corsets in public at the demand of a sensational preacher, and then burn the discarded article at a bonfire before

must it be in private? This extraordinary spectacle was an exhibition last week at Sydenham, Ontario. A revival meeting there became so much of a nuisance that the hall in which it was held was refused it, and an adjournment to a vacant lot was made. The fanatical person shouted, "Throw off the accursed invention of corsets and go to God as you left Him! Burn them, rather than burn yourselves in everlasting fire!" The suggestion struck a responsive chord, and woman after woman made a supreme fool of herself in her efforts to follow the prescription—Oregonian.

BOARD OF TRADE STATISTICS.

It is to be hoped that our merchants will fully appreciate the importance of making out full reports of goods imported for the past year. It is very requisite that this town make a good showing in this matter, as it is very probable that the granting of appropriations for coast improvements of this section may hinge upon the statistics as set forth in the forms furnished by the Board of Trade. For the information of those in doubt we repeat that these reports are to cover the past year only.

Oregon is fortunate in having such an indefatigable worker as Hon. Binger Hermann to represent the state in Congress, and he has the reputation of being one of the hardest workers in Congress, always giving his personal attention to the smallest details in connection with his office, and is ever looking after personal matters for his constituents. He is a familiar figure in the departments and has been very successful in all his efforts. Mr. Hermann is a member of the River and Harbor Committee and has done excellent work for the state in that capacity, and the state cannot afford to lose his services in the House. A new man would not be able to begin where he left off and it is doubtful if Oregon would have a place on the House Committee for Rivers and Harbors if Mr. Hermann is not returned. There are many reasons why he should be returned, and little danger that he will not. However, it is well for the people of this District, the 1st, to keep a zealous eye on the next Congressional convention. The 1st District comprises all the counties of Western Oregon (except Multnomah, Columbia and Clatsop), and Klamath and Lake, east of the Cascades. Hon. Binger Hermann is a resident of this District and should continue to represent it by all means.

As long as this coast depends on the caprices of the nincompoop "smart Alces" in the employ of the War Department to determine what is needed for harbor improvements, just so long will the work be delayed and the money squandered. Many of the attaches of the War Department, like the petty officers in the Regular Army are nothing but snobs, and shallow-pated imitations of men, who by unlimited gall have pushed themselves forward. And duds creatures of this class are actually sent out to make examinations of bars and harbors. What is wanted in their stead is men who have a little good "horse sense," and who do not feel as if they were mental prodigies towering over everything in the Universe. Visits from a few practical every-day men like Senator Dolph and Binger Hermann is of more use and will bring more good results for the Bay and bar than all the monkey-work done by the duds and hangers-on of Captain Symond's office. Yet these duds wear a swaggering air of importance and authority that would make Senator Dolph or Congressman Hermann feel small.

Congressman Hermann says that the other members of the House were disposed to laugh with incredulity when he mentioned the immense size and quantity of the timber on this coast. The members from Michigan who were accustomed to the telegraph poles and match timber of that section could not believe that trees here grew so large. Mr. Hermann proposes a novel plan to establish his veracity with Congress. He will have sections of spruce, fir, and cedar logs sawed off and taken to

8, 10 and 12 feet in diameter rolling down the aisles of Congress it is thought they will begin to see the importance of giving proper attention to a country which has millions of acres of such trees.

Absenteeism has become a crying evil in our school. It would seem as if the parents might forward the interests of their children and earn the thanks of the teachers by the exercise of a little judicious parental authority in this matter.

The indebtedness exemption phase of the assessment laws can be readily appreciated by reading the assessment roll.

Balmaceda has committed suicide.

ASSESSMENT ROLL.

The following is a list of taxpayers who are assessed at \$1,000 or over. The first column of figures denotes the full valuation of property assessed to each individual, and the second column is the taxable remainder after the exemptions and indebtedness have been subtracted:

	TOTAL	TAXABLE
C W Alley	\$235	35
A Anderson	126	497
L D Ackley	106	114
Ray City Land Co	48132	42932
A J Bowman	1000	1000
D A Bologgett	42050	42650
S D Foster	1249	677
A T Bliss	9600	9900
Barker & Smith	6419	3544
Mary J Fendixon	1159	
G W Blackwell	1938	1393
J R Brigham	1925	1925
D N Burns	1260	1260
Nellie Bessick	1337	1337
Ann Burton	1500	476
Hiram Brown	4370	4370
Wm Patterson	2010	1700
L H Brown	3550	900
D C Bowers	1488	733
G C J Backers	1890	1890
A J Barman	1744	1744
A M Bruce	1600	1600
Wm Baxter	1955	755
A W Dunn	1025	200
Peter Brant	3792	2812
Geo Bodysfelt	1350	950
Nikolaus Rabi	1252	952
Bengtha Byrum	1770	701
Joe Bixby	2208	1788
L & F E Blumauer	1400	1400
J C Bosley	2640	2640
Colin & Co	6640	2775
W S Cone	9100	9100
J R Craven	2235	1935
W H H Cary	1069	709
H W Cottle	2450	2450
Matt Cary	1440	885
Robt Crawford	2262	1212
J Christensen	1075	25
Kate Commons	1200	1080
Con & McCoy	1985	1985
W H Cooper	7744	5244
W W Conder	1875	1507
Andrew Christensen	1295	320
Amos Compton	1197	960
Leonard Crenshaw	4827	2777
W C Chance	3167	2040
Wm S Cores	2840	2840
E T Davies	2397	1397
Warren Daugherty	1730	1717
W T Doughty	1476	1410
B R Daniel	7511	7211
C N Drew	1270	986
Mary F Drew	1000	1000
S J Diehl	2065	1665
Joe Davidson	1960	1540
Malcolm Doble	1000	1000
Dunsmore Bros	1350	166
J J Dawson	1340	1100
G E R Dean	1338	933
J R Dawson	1500	2540
Alfred Deane	2250	1800
J S Dellinger	1400	900
D G Dunn	1385	710
Joe Davidson	5356	4701
Con Desmond	1240	1240
W H Eberman	3011	2911
Sam Elnore	5200	5200
Henry Edison	3331	2581
Edmunds & Co	1300	497
Elliott & Babbidge	2127	400
W J Elliott	6240	6240
Gertrude Ely	3547	3547
Ericksen & Heisel	1300	1300
Sarah J Elliott	1000	1000
John W Farquhar	1200	1200
Cosmas Francisoush	1800	4000
Elizabeth Fass	2000	2000
Carl Fischer	1300	1340
Merriman Feland	1423	608
Oscar Falconer	1779	1479
James Fuller	2742	2337
Louise Fleck	1640	1340
A D Farmer	1079	707
L G Freeman	2510	1466
D A Findley	1658	1888
C C Fletcher	1130	780
First Nat Bk Astoria	1400	1400
E C Forsyth	2500	2500
John W Farquhar	2440	2430
Joseph Green	10700	10700
John Geiger	3728	2728
J G Goodspeed	8224	8124
H J Goodspeed	7097	6997
W A Gagle	1624	619
W S Gardner	1042	422
A C Gist	1524	894
Gilbert Bros	1010	1010
E Hall	16925	16025
Joseph Hacksin	2639	939
Anna Hadley	1250	700
C B Hadley	2128	628
Orson Holden	1000	1000
Shirley Himes	1341	1216
N A Hutchins	5930	2030
W J Hughey	4943	4643
James Hughey	1665	1355
T Hartley	1000	1000
R R Hays	3294	4550
Ella R Hays	1000	1000
H C Hall	1275	975
W A Hanor	2306	1796
M W Harrison	1146	5931
F H Holston	1209	920
A M Hare	1424	966
Truman Harris	4671	2671
N T Hansen	1201	901
John Hellenbrand	1941	767
John Hathaway	5312	2112
C E Hunt	1450	859
A W Hall	1139	819
H F Holden	3230	3230
Mary Hauxhurst	1031	676
Porter Haskell	7025	7025
S W Ler	1500	1500
W F D Jones	1200	1200
Jones Bros	3430	2276
H V Y Johnson	2490	1490
Olaf Johnson	1464	494
Martha Jacoby	1000	1000
Theo Jacoby	1901	1801
Wm Johnson	5642	4310
Chas Johnson	1210	774
John Johnson	1238	950
F M Jackson	1290	630
Manette Johnson	1100	1100

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Our Seeds Are Tested
Our Catalogue Tells the Rest

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Fifty cases best coal oil just received.

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"Log Cabin" maple syrup, guaranteed pure.—Imported Castile soap.—Sapolio.—New brands of chewing and smoking tobacco.—Lee & Perrin's Worcestershire sauce.—All kinds of mush timber.—In fact we have the most complete stock of groceries and provisions in the market.

Post yourselves and then come to the Frisco Store and examine goods and prices, and we will have no trouble in saving you money on your fall and winter supplies. Highest price paid for County orders and all kinds of country produce.

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A FIGHT FOR LIFE.

SHALL WE DRIVE SLOW POISON FROM OUR BREAKFAST TABLE?

Alum and Ammonia in our Bread.

A nuisance that troubled England fifty years ago is now rapidly spreading in this country, that is putting Alum in the bread we eat. This question is causing a great deal of discussion at the present moment, as it is revealed that alum is being used as a substitute for cream of tartar in baking powders. A story is told that a very large percentage of the baking powders sold on the market contain either alum or ammonia, and many of them contain both these pernicious drugs. Much timely alarm is felt at the wholesale use of alum in bread, biscuit and pastry. To young children, growing girls, persons of weakly frame, alum bread eaten morning, noon and evening is the most harmful. It is the small quantities taken at every meal that do the mischief. Alum is cheap, costing but two or three cents a pound, while cream of tartar costs 30c, and the high price of cream of tartar has led cheap baking powder to be made of alum. If the reader wants to know something of the corrosive qualities of alum let him touch a piece to his tongue then reflect how it acts on the tender delicate coats of the stomach.

Following is a list compiled by the Scientific American, of the alum and ammonia baking powders that have already been tested.

ATLANTIC & PACIFIC.	ROYAL.
COOK'S FAVORITE.	SCOTCH.
CROWN.	SILVER SPOON.
CRYSTAL.	SILVER STAR.
DAISY.	SNOWDRIFT.
DAVIS O. K.	SOVEREIGN.
DRY YEAST.	STAR.
GEM.	STATE.
GLOBE.	STANDARD.
KENTON.	SUNFLOWER.
PEARSON'S.	WASHINGTON.
PERFECTION.	WINDSOR.
PEPPERLESS.	ZIPP'S GRAPE.
PURITY.	CRYSTAL.

There are, in addition to the foregoing list from the Scientific American, a number of such powders sold in the western states that were not found in the eastern stores.

Following is the list to date:	Contains Alum.
CALUMET.	Contains Alum.
Calumet Baking Powder Co., Chicago.	
FOREST CITY.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Vouvie Bros, Cleveland.)	
CHICAGO YEAST.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Chapman & Smith Co., Chicago.)	
BON BON.	Contains Alum.
HOTEL.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(J. C. Grant Baking Powder Co., Chicago.)	
UNRAVLED.	Contains Alum.
(Sprague, Warner & Griswold, Chicago.)	
ONE SPOON, TAYLOR'S.	Ammonia Alum.
(Taylor Mfg. Co., St. Louis.)	
YARNALL'S.	Contains Alum.
(Yarnall Mfg. Co., St. Louis.)	
SHAW'S SNOW PUFF.	Contains Alum.
(Merchants' Mfg. Association, St. Louis.)	
DODSON & HILLS.	Contains Alum.
(Dodson & Hills, St. Louis.)	
SIDEPARTY.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Wm. H. Shewhart, St. Louis.)	
BAIN'S.	Contains Alum.
(Meyer-Bain Mfg. Co., St. Louis.)	
MONARCH.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Reid, Murdoch & Co., Chicago.)	
SNOW BALL.	Contains Alum.
(Bengal Coffee & Spice Mills, Chicago.)	
GIANT.	Contains Alum.
MILK.	Contains Alum.
(W. F. McLaughlin & Co., Chicago.)	
REJO.	Contains Alum.
(Spenced Bling Paddle Co., Chicago.)	
KALBELL'S PURITY.	Contains Alum.
(Kalbell Mfg. Co., Chicago.)	
RISEING SUN.	Contains Ammonia.
(Phoenix Chemical Works, Chicago.)	
WHITE ROSE.	Contains Ammonia Alum.
(Globe Coffee & Spice Mills, Minneapolis.)	
WOOD'S ACME.	Contains Ammonia.
(Thos. Wood & Co., Philadelphia.)	
ANDREWS' PEARL.	Contains Ammonia.
(C. E. Andrews & Co., Milwaukee.)	
HARRIS' FAVORITE.	Contains Alum.
(H. H. Harris, Minneapolis.)	
FIDELITY.	Contains Alum.
SOLAR.	Contains Alum.
(Sherman Bros, Chicago.)	
PUTNAM'S BEST.	Contains Alum.
(Wells Putnam & Co., Chicago.)	
CHINA HOUSE.	Contains Alum.
(Nash McDowell, St. Paul, Minn.)	
TWIN CITY.	Contains Alum.
(J. K. Ferguson, Minneapolis, Minn.)	
HERCULES.	Contains Ammonia.
(Hercules Baking Powder Co., San Francisco.)	
CLIMAX.	Contains Ammonia.
(Climax Baking Powder Co., Indianapolis.)	

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is reported by all authorities as free from Ammonia, Alum, Lime or any other adulterant. In fact, the purity of this ideal powder has never been questioned.

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Aside from its unexcelled news features, a large number of special articles, prepared for its columns by well known writers, are published during the year. It furnishes descriptive letters from various portions of our own country and from foreign climes, as well as stories, poetry and well selected miscellany. There is a department maintained for the farmer, also for the women and children. All the advantages of a newspaper of the first class are offered by THE WEEKLY OREGONIAN. No family in the entire Northwest can afford to be without it.

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This arrangement does away with all free puffs and makes the treatment alike for all, and the rate for our regular customers is so low that they can avail themselves of new locals every week at a slight expense.

A representative of this paper will call on the merchants each week, when possible, to ascertain what "locals" are wanted. We expect by this means to give our patrons valuable service at minimum cost.

BARNEGAT MAIL.

The mail Packet, "Nellie J." leaves Tillamook every Monday at high tide. For passage or freight, leave orders at post-office or with Geo. Cohn at Tillamook. Special trips