

OXLEY SECURES ANOTHER CLAIM

Has Now Large Body of Ore to Work—Said to Be Very Rich—New Owner Very Enthusiastic.

W. R. Oxley has secured option on the Brass-Simmons mine from E. J. Simmons of French Guleh, California. This is the connecting link on the lode between the Ray and Cheney properties, already bonded by Mr. Oxley, and gives him a complete chain from the foot to the apex of the Cox-Lyman hill, two miles north of Gold Hill on Rogue river. The Brass-Simmons property was the strategic point for the operation of the entire group, as the may all be worked from one tunnel, already existing on the Cheney property, and the Brass-Simmons property lies between the other two.

The deal gives one of the largest ore bodies in southern Oregon, and assays have shown that it is one of the richest.

"The biggest opportunities lie right here at our door," said Mr. Oxley recently. "I have investigated the mining prospects of southern Oregon pretty thoroughly, and I find nothing better than we have right here—and you don't have to go over miles of snow-covered mountain trails to reach the mines either."

"Our assays have been such that we believe we have what we have been looking for, a big low-grade proposition, and as soon as necessary an adequate plant will be placed on the ground. We are close to the railroad, have electric power right at hand, a good body of ore—everything that is needed to make a successful mine."

REX MEAT MARKET MOVES TO WEST SIDE

The Rex Meat Market, Huth & Peck, proprietors, which has formerly been conducted in the Deuel & Kentner building, has moved to 108 West Main, where Messrs. Huth & Peck have fitted up a meat market modern in all its appointments, and where they are prepared to give both old and new customers that degree of satisfaction for which they have been noted.

JAPS FIND PLOT TO KILL LEADERS

Police Active Following Receipt of News That Five Assassins Arrive to Murder Japanese Officials.

TOYKO, Japan, Jan. 24.—Double police activity was ordered today following the receipt of news that five Korean assassins have arrived in Tokyo with the sworn purpose of murdering Prince Yamagata, Premier Katsura, Foreign Minister Komura, Resident General Sone and General Hasegawa.

Each assassin has been assigned a victim and the government is convinced that the wholesale assassination has been planned as a grand coup by the Korean revolutionary party.

A large body of special detectives was set to work today to trace the Koreans and the marked men have been surrounded by guards. They will be protected and will go about in public today only under heavy guard, or until the supposed assassins have been run down.

The plot was exposed through a confession obtained from a member of the revolutionary party in Seoul, Korea, and is considered by the government to demand the most urgent measures on the part of the officials.

At a secret meeting of the revolutionists at which the assassination of Prince Ito was celebrated as a great victory for the Koreans, the daring plot was formulated.

Many Volunteers.
There were many volunteers to undertake its accomplishment. Lots were drawn and the men selected after the supposed fashion of European anarchists. Each swore to give his life or carry out the purpose. It is learned that the five men succeeded in entering this city and are now in hiding awaiting their opportunity to strike.

Every possible effort is being made to trace them, but making the matter public undoubtedly has put the assassins on their guard.

The government officials today fear that the assassins will postpone action and simply remain in hiding

LLOYD GEORGE IS VICTOR AT POLLS

Startling Gains of Conservatives Stopped—Liberals Will Retain Majority of Some Forty.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—Early reports today from the constituencies where balloting is taking place indicate that the startling gains of the conservatives during the last week have been stopped. It seems probable, according to persons who are informed as to the situation, that the liberals and the laborites will retain a majority of from 32 to 41. Chancellor David Lloyd-George, father of the revolutionary budget, has been re-elected, but his majority was diminished by 146 votes.

The liberals today advanced the charge that the conservatives have tampered with ballot boxes during the last few days of the election. This alleged misconduct, they claim, has grown more flagrant each day.

DAM BREAKS; TWO MEN SWEEP TO DEATH

VANCOUVER, B. C., Jan. 24.—By the breaking of an old dam on the Capilani river, two men, George Hamilton and George Simpson, employed of the city waterworks, were swept to death today in the swirling waters of the stream.

The men had gone to an old house at the dam to get some tools which they had left there. They had just entered the place when the dam broke and a wall of water against the structure. The house was swept away like a cork and with it went the unfortunate men to death. The bodies have not been recovered.

until the present excitement passes over if they can avoid arrest. This phase of the case, added to the fact that other assassins, it is said, are ready to replace any of the five who may be captured, makes it all the more serious, as it places the high officials of the government in permanent danger of being murdered.

The campaign of assassination is the outgrowth of the struggle of Korea to free herself of Japanese domination.

SPLENDID DAY GREET'S AVIATOR

Paulhan Says He Will Excel Himself This Afternoon—Is Pleased for People's Sake.

TANFORAN PARK, Cal., Jan. 24.—With sun shining clear and no wind every prospect for successful flight by Louis Paulhan, the famous French aviator, was apparent here today.

Storm clouds, which lowered on the western sky at dawn moved to the southward and soon the sun was drying up the soggy field caused by yesterday's downpour.

Paulhan directed the work of his assistants in getting the aeroplane from its shed and his animation betokened his delight at the ideal and auspicious weather.

"It is for the people that I am happy," declared Paulhan today. "They have been disappointed once and I am pleased that they shall not be again turned away. The day is beautiful. I will excel myself."

WELCH AND CANON OFF TO STUDY PAVEMENT

Mayor W. H. Canon and Councilman Welch left Sunday morning for California where they will investigate the different varieties of paving material used in the principal cities of that state.

Messrs. Canon and Welch will investigate the paving proposition from every point of view in order that they may be qualified to impart information of value to the people of Medford, and to the city council so that when the question of the laying of the paving petitioned for comes up before the council everyone will be advised as to the quality, durability and price of the different paving materials which may be offered for consideration.

H. W. Williams of Gold Hill was a recent Medford visitor.

H. H. Baker is putting down 300 feet new sidewalk in front of his residence property on the west side of North Bartlett which will add a great convenience to improvements of the streets.

MRS AOKI WILL NOT TELL TROUBLE

Lives With Her Husband in Squalid Japanese Tenement House—Neighbors Tell of Trouble.

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 24.—Gladys Emery Aoki, daughter of Archdeacon Emery of Costa Madera, California, when seen today at her rooms in the Ujini Hotel, a Japanese apartment house on Jackson street, would not affirm or deny a report from San Francisco to the effect that she had written her father to take her back into his home.

Neighbors, however, insist that there is trouble in the Aoki home.

According to the gossip in the Ujini hotel Aoki has been in the habit recently of leaving his wife and boy for four or five days at a time. They claim that since Christmas when they moved to the city from their ranch at Hillman City, Aoki has been in the habit of getting money from his wife and then disappearing. He would only return when the money was gone. When this story was retold to Mrs. Aoki and she was asked if it was true, she said:

"That concerns my private family affairs and I don't care to talk about it."

To all questions she will not talk.

Mrs. Aoki and child are housed in a squalid three-room apartment.

Notice to Contractors.

Bids are wanted by the Queen Anne Addition, Inc., upon the grading of Queen Anne avenue in the city of Medford. The profiles of the grade adopted will be found in the office of the city engineer. Contractors desiring to bid on this contract are requested to file sealed bids at 20 North Front street on or before January 31. No bids will be received after that date, at which time the same will be opened. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any and all bids offered and will require a sufficient bond from the successful bidder. 264*

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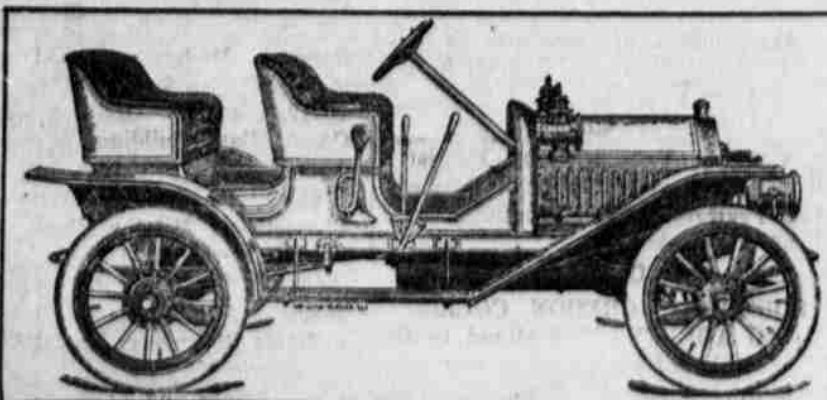
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