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KLAMATH FALLS, SATURDAY EVENING, AUGUST 1, 1908

NEW STYLE OF BALLOON.

Thomas S. Baldwin, who delivered a dirigible balloon to the United States government, declared in an interview: "It will be but a short time, in my opinion, until the world will see the combination of the two types of airships—the dirigible and the aeroplane—and the complete solution of air navigation. With the new gas bag material and the proper protection of the gas it will be possible for the coming dirigible to circumvent the world without once landing."

The assembling of the Baldwin dirigible is awaiting the arrival of a large tent at Fort Meyer which measures 100x40 feet.

"It would be possible for me to assemble my dirigible within 24 hours," said Mr. Baldwin, "but owing to the fact that many of the army officers are desirous of going to Brighton to witness the fights of the Farman airship, it is not probable that I will do much this week. However, by August 3 I expect to be ready to set a date for the official trials."

THE USE OF ASPHALT.

The long drawn-out and somewhat interesting controversy between the United States and Venezuela, in which the great Trinidad asphalt concession has figured prominently, has perhaps created the impression that this country is wholly dependent on the famous bitumen lake for its supply of asphalt.

It is true that we buy abroad large quantities of this paving material, and that more than half of the imports now come from the island of Trinidad, but our own production greatly exceeds the total imports, and although the increase in our consumption of the material is rapid the growth of the proportion of home production over importations is even more marked.

Although asphalt is used chiefly in street paving, it is also applied to many other purposes, such as for waterproofing metals, papers and fabrics, for preserving wood, in brick-setting, and in concrete construction.

In connection with paving, or rather "good roads" work, an interesting use is being made of the asphalt residue of petroleum, whose base is asphaltum. Some of the California and Texas oils, which carry a very large proportion of asphalt—as much as 35 percent—which sprinkled on road surfaces, makes ideal "good roads."

JAPS AND CHINESE.

San Francisco, and in fact nearly all of California, has a race problem. The Chinese and Japanese are very numerous on the coast and they have proved a serious and at times dangerous element. As between the two races the Chinese are best liked. The Japs are heartily detested. The people say that the Japs will lie and cheat and are not to be trusted in a business way. The Japs are ambitious to become business men and have taken possession of one of the finest residence districts in the city. They did this after the fire. A few citizens who thought their residences would never be worth anything again were glad to lease them to the Japanese. Then when it was found that the city was to be rebuilt and resume its former importance the people who lived near the Japanese rented their places to other Japanese because they did not want to live next to the Japs. One after another of the old residents moved out on this account

and a part of what was the fashionable district of San Francisco has become Jap Town.

"Chinatown" is not what it was before the fire, the residents of San Francisco will tell you. But the Chinese have gone back to the quarter they once occupied and established their stores and shops. This was once a feature of San Francisco and no one ever came there thought he had properly seen the city unless he had visited the underground dens of the Chinese and seen the opium vice at its lowest depth. The authorities have put an end to the "barrowing" of the "Chinks." The dens still exist, but they are where better police supervision is possible. The Chinese are still a laboring race, but the prejudice against them is apparent for they are not employed for higher class labor. There is a disposition to give the white people the first chance for employment.

The Japanese are an aggressive people, as shown by the rapid development in the past half century. They have brought their push and energy with them to this country. Besides, they feel that they belong to one of the first nations of the earth. Every Japanese knows what Japan has accomplished in the last few years. They all know that Japan has beaten China in one war and Russia in another. They feel the importance of a successful race and do not take kindly to the idea which prevails here that they are no better and even a little worse than the Chinese. The people of the Pacific Coast are not disposed to show any difference between the men of Mongolian blood. They do not like the signs of equality which the Japs show and they want to keep the Japs on the same plane as the Chinese.

Notice to the Public.

We, the undersigned merchants of Klamath Falls, Oregon, hereby agree to close our places of business, beginning on Monday, August 10, 1908, at 7 o'clock p. m., on all days except Saturday, (and from the 10th to the 26th day of December and during county fair and from July 1st to July 3rd):

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NOTICE.

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Cor. 5th and Main Street

Incorporated November 28, 1900

Statement of Condition

Klamath County Bank

Klamath Falls, Oregon

DECEMBER 31, 1907

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$340,530.80
Bonds and Securities	63,525.84
Real Estate, Buildings and Fixtures	14,745.18
Cash and Sight Exchange	166,247.69
Total	\$585,049.51

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock, fully paid	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Profits	21,753.11
Due Other Banks	32,000.94
Deposits	431,295.46
Total	\$585,049.51

I, Alex Martin, Jr., Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ALEX MARTIN, JR., Cashier
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 1908.

C. H. WITHROW, Notary Public for Oregon

OFFICERS

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