

THOSE CHINATOWN GIRLS  
RILED BY SUFFRAGISTS

Their Habitat a "Pest Spot"?  
Philadelphia Kitty Says  
That's Cruel.

VENEXED POLICE WON'T SUE  
But They'd Like an Apology  
From Mrs. Laidlaw and  
Rose Livingston.

The Chinatown Suffrage Club, of which Philadelphia Kitty is president, is feeling pretty sore. The members don't like it because their uptown sister of a Woman Suffrage party called Chinatown a pest spot and an unsafe place for social workers and suffrage canvassers.

This feeling on the part of the Pell and Doyers street suffragists is only one feature of the liveliest rumpus that region has known since the long wars. The assertion of Miss Rose Livingston that while pursuing her rescue work in Chinatown she was attacked and beaten has stirred up various persons to much talk and to at least the threat of action.

Mrs. Laidlaw carried the story to the board meeting of the suffrage party, which promptly passed a resolution asking for better police protection for workers in Chinatown. Mrs. Laidlaw herself wrote to the Mayor and Commissioner Waldo asking that the deficiencies in the policing of that district be remedied and referring by name to Inspector Daly and Capt. Frank A. Tierney as the policemen who ought to be told what was going on in their field of duty. The officers then took a hand and said they were going to sue Mrs. Laidlaw for libel if she could be discovered by process servers.

Mrs. Laidlaw told her lawyer, Nathan Smyth of 60 Broadway, to take all the service there was coming to her. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Smyth retired to his home at New Dorp, Staten Island, serene and still unswayed. He intimated that he didn't think there would be any suit and it wouldn't be his client that would call it off either.

Inspector Daly also expressed himself as doubting that there will be a suit. He is inclined to believe that when Mrs. Laidlaw has made a more thorough investigation of the matter she will be convinced that her critics were somewhat rash. An apology would make all right with the inspector. He has held that rank for three years in that district and he says that Chinatown is the best policed section in the city.

HUNT HAIR THIEVES.

Broadway Company Robbed of \$8,000 Worth of Experts.  
Detectives from the Mercer street station have been looking since last Monday for the robbers who took about \$8,000 worth of human hair goods from the rooms of the New York Hair Company at 737 Broadway on Saturday afternoon.

The officials of the hair company when they reported the theft at the station house early Monday morning asked that the greatest secrecy be maintained about the case, as they did not want it to get into the papers. They also refused to say anything yesterday about the robbery.

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The police believe that the hair goods were taken from the hair company's rooms some time between 5 and 6 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, that is, between the time of closing for the day and the locking of the building.

PASSES CONFEDERATE BILL.

Purchaser of Cow Indicted for Paying With "850" Bill.  
ALBANY, May 25.—As a result of passing a Confederate bill Charles Maxon of Hague has been indicted by the Grand Jury at Lake George after pleading not guilty. He bought a cow from Charles Harris of Thurman, giving him a \$50 Confederate bill which he said would be cashed by any bank in the country.

SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.

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Veteran Letter Carrier Arrested.

John J. Whalen, 61 years old, of 555 Henry street, Brooklyn, who has been a letter carrier for twenty-seven years, was arrested yesterday before U. S. Commissioner Benedict on a charge of robbing the mails. He was examined and held for the Grand Jury in \$2,500 bail.

NO FLAGS FOR SHERIFF  
HARBURGER TO SAVE.

The Only Two in Sight Were  
Worn by Patriotic  
Women.

BUT JULIUS WAS READY  
Police Too in Plenty at the  
Meeting of the I. W. W.  
to Aid Effort.

It was certain in Union Square at 4:04 o'clock yesterday afternoon that it had been the most thoroughly saved flag in history. Sheriff Julius Harburger and his fifty "Stars and Stripes" announced the fact with great positiveness and satisfaction. Police Inspector Lahey and all the plain clothes men of his district confirmed the Sheriff's words.

Poly Captain Morris of the East Twenty-second street station, with forty of his picked men, declared there was not the shadow of a doubt about it. Lieut. Becker and his entire "strong arm squad" said it was a betting circle. About a hundred assorted regular soldiers and sailors on leave, with a heterogeneous but disappointed mass of private citizens agreed with them all, and Mrs. Sadie Cunningham and Mrs. F. J. Warnecke, doughty members of several patriotic societies, declared "you'd better believe it—you'd better believe it, young man, that the flag was saved."

"HARVARD LAMPOON" IS GAY.

College Publication Goes Farther  
Than It Ever Has Before.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 25.—The "Improper Number" of the Harvard Lampoon appeared to-day. The college word even after a cursory glance at its pages sat up and began to take notice. Professors sneered through its columns and were divided as to whether to feel amused or horribly shocked.

The Lampoon has gone further than it had ever dared since its origin years back. The present number, which is a "takeoff" on certain magazine publications, contains burlesque stories and poems by authors whose names are well known in the world of fiction. Several of the articles are rather racy, and the illustrations a trifle risqué. Report has it that the editors of the publication will be summoned for a confidential talk in the main features of the magazine is an interview with Miss Lillian Lorraine (Lillian Lorraine) by Galen Ale. The article itself is commonplace. A picture of Miss Lorraine "in street clothes" accompanies it. A picture that a pleasing smile and a pair of closely fitting tight make the actress a pleasing study and leaves little to the imagination. Another photograph with this article is of two naked children entitled "A Scene From the Folies." A picture of three women unadorned to the breast, where the photo ends, also has a place in the story. The "Yearning Point," by Rob W. Sameness (probably Rob W. Chambers) is the most striking feature of the publication. Suggestiveness runs between the lines and even the unconventional "Robert W." is "chambered." Other burlesques in the magazine are "The Saturday Evening Post, the Country Gentleman, St. Nicholas, the Strand, Everybody's Magazine, Jack London and a story entitled "Billings and Stover at Jail" by Oving Johnson.

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9x12. . . . . reduced from \$29.75 to \$22.50  
4.6x7.6. . . . . " " \$14.50 " \$9.75  
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4x7. . . . . " " \$5.75 " \$4.50  
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27x54. . . . . " " \$2.75 " \$1.45  
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Room Size Rugs. . . . . \$55.00 to \$150.00  
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Presents  
To-morrow a number of  
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the balance of Spring importations pronounced the best display of the season. Former prices from \$100.00 to \$250.00 each, at \$25

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GOWNS - \$25; Original price up to \$250  
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Clearing out entire stock of Summer Wear, and owing to backward season many of our finest gowns and hats are still in stock and positively will not be carried over.

For years we have catered to New York's most exclusive trade. From coast to coast our reputation is established for the smartest Gowns and Millinery of the finest quality.

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FOUR RESIDENCES  
"SAVED FROM BURGLARY"

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One house on Fifth Ave., one in 87th St., one in 92nd St. and one in 103rd St., which would seem to bear out our early prediction that this year will prove a banner year for home burglaries.

If you go away this summer without having your home protected by THE HOLMES COMPANY you are taking chances that any house owner can ill afford to take. Offices Everywhere. See Phone Book.

NEGRO BURNED AT STAKE  
AS TEXAS MOB LOOKS ON

Victim Taken From Jail and Strapped to Heap of Wood Saturated With Oil.

NO ARRESTS MADE AS YET  
Officers and Citizens Try in Vain to Save Man Who Confessed to Attack on Girl.

TYLER, Tex., May 25.—Two thousand persons saw Dan Davis, a negro, burned at the stake here early to-day. The man had confessed to an attack made upon Miss Carrie Johnson, a 16-year-old girl, a week ago. Davis, who was 21 years old, admitted his guilt in a written confession shortly before the lynching.

After Davis was taken from the Sheriff and tied to the stake the crowd stood back and watched him burn. Officers and citizens tried in vain to prevent his lynching, surrendering Davis to the mob only when it prepared to storm the jail. Yesterday Davis was taken to Corsicana for safety and then transferred to Athens. Later he was brought back to Tyler in an automobile, the officers believing the danger of violence had passed. A mob, however, confronted them when they reached the jail, and the parley was brief.

After getting Davis several wagon-loads of wood were piled high in the public square. The pile was saturated with oil and Davis tied down so that escape was impossible. He showed no fear until the flames began to nip his feet, and then his cries were fearful. The crowd stood quietly watching the flames envelop him until his voice grew weaker and finally ceased. Nothing was left but charred bones and wood embers.

There have been no arrests. Only a year ago a similar burning took place in the public square. The victim was a negro and guilty of the same offense for which Davis was lynched. Davis attacked Miss Johnson as she was walking to Tyler along the railroad tracks. He left her with her throat cut, and her condition is serious. She is the daughter of a wealthy farmer.

WOMEN CHASE BAG SNATCHER.

New York Outraged Boston in a Chase on 5th Avenue and Elsewhere.

As Miss Frances McClellan of 30 Kenwood street, Boston, was going into the Twenty-eighth street subway station with her mother yesterday afternoon she was followed by a man who was carrying in her hand and ran toward Madison avenue. The man contained \$24.

The other of the bag snatcher was Elizabeth Bell of 80 Lenox avenue, who also had seen the theft, went after the thief and ran faster than the young Boston woman.

She was then up Madison avenue to Twenty-ninth street, to Fifth avenue down to Twenty-eighth street and east to Madison avenue. She was followed by a man who was carrying in her hand and ran toward Madison avenue. She was followed by a man who was carrying in her hand and ran toward Madison avenue.

Ward's Island Visitors Want to Ride to Ferry.

The Public Service Commission yesterday served upon the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company an order requiring the construction of a cable car line on an extension of its line in Macomb's Dam road as far as the 153rd street viaduct. The cars of the Union railway system cross from The Bronx to Manhattan over the Macomb's Dam bridge, or Canal bridge, which is a double track bridge.

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Brooklyn Elks Prosperous.

The report of the Brooklyn Lodge of Elks for the year ending March 31, shows a total membership of 3,893, of which 314 were initiated during the year. The receipts for the year were \$24,925.50. The assets of the lodge amount to \$24,163.25, and there are no liabilities. Work on the new story clubhouse in South Oxford street will soon be started.

J. P. Morgan's Titanic Fund.

J. P. Morgan & Co. have announced \$30 of additional contributions to the memorial fund for those lost on the Titanic which added to previously acknowledged

JUDGE BARLOW, DETECTIVE.

He Catches a S. A. M. Snapper Carrying a Load of Bank Notes.

Magistrate Barlow, automobiling home from the women's night court at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, saw a man carrying a heavy bundle in Twenty-third street near Lexington avenue. The Magistrate judged from the man's behavior that the bundle was not his own.

Barlow pointed to the man with the bundle creeping along the wall of the old City College.

McElroy stopped the stranger and asked him what he had in the bundle. He refused to say and the policeman tore off the paper. He found a metal safe tank valued at \$20. The carrier could not explain how he came by it and was arrested. Before Magistrate McAdoo in the Essex Market court he said he was Thomas Mills, 21 years old.

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