

WHERE THE AWFUL MURDER OCCURRED!

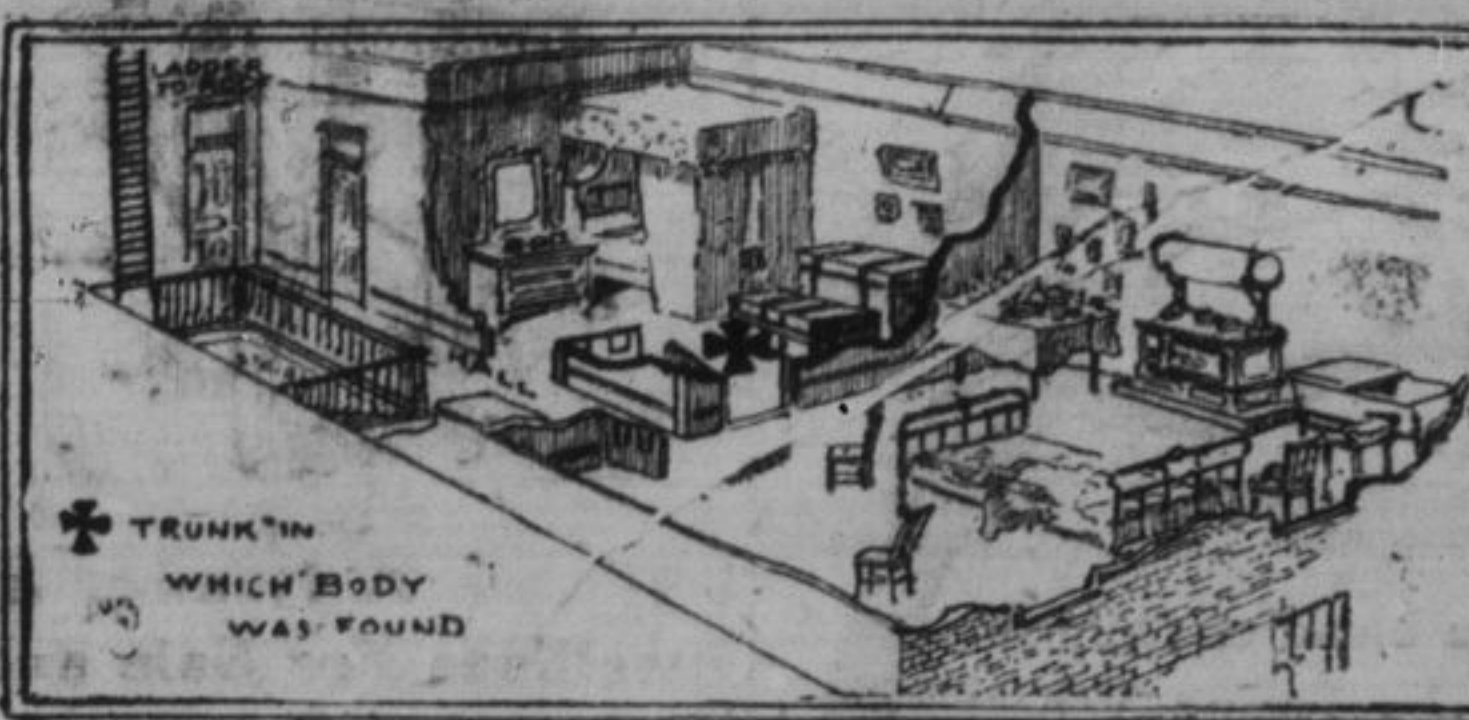


DIAGRAM OF APARTMENT SHOWING WHERE BODY WAS FOUND



JOE K. LEON AND DONG WING

New York, June 23.—After a day of conflicting statements, the district attorney's office, acting under instructions from Mr. Jerome, and the police department, under orders from Commissioner Bingham, refused to-night to discuss further what progress had been made in the search for Leon Ling, the Chinaman, who is wanted for the murder of Elsie Sigel, whose body was found in a trunk in a room over an Eighth Avenue shop, easy restaurant last Friday night, nor would they discuss the results of the examination of Chung Sin, Leon Ling's former room mate, who had been variously reported to have witnessed the crime, to have aided in rapping the trunk, and finally merely to have seen the girl's body. There have been hourly reports from all parts of the country, but none of them, on close examination, bring the authorities any nearer to the murderer.

What progress has been made with Chung Sin, who underwent, this afternoon, another four hours of cross-questioning at the hands of Captain Carey and his men of the homicide bureau, and Mr. Ward, of the district attorney's office, is due as much as anything else to the offices of Yoon Yick-Nam, a Chinese merchant, who volunteered as an interpreter, and in whom the police have

every confidence. It is said he told Chung Sin, with an earnestness that carried conviction, that no Chinese society would aid him in suppressing the facts or concealing Leon; that, on the contrary, every Chinaman of influence and responsibility in the country felt that the case was bringing disrepute on their race, and they were all united with the police in efforts to run down the murderer. With more to gain than to lose by the truth, Chung Sin then talked freely, if not frankly, but that he has not been actually implicated in the crime itself is indicated by the fact that to-night he is still held in the house of detention for witnesses and not in the Tombs, charged with being an accessory in the murder.

Whatever is the whole truth concerning the information Chung Sin offered, it is practically all the police have to go on. Chu Gain, the restaurant proprietor, and admirer of the dead girl, of whom Leon Sing was jealous, is out on \$1,000 bail, pumped dry; the other restaurant keeper, Sun Leing, and his waiter and cook, above whose place the body was found, are also out on bail for \$100. Those who know Elsie Sigel best believe that she was sincere in her mission work and her relations with the Chinese up to the day of her death.



NO 782 EIGHTH AVENUE

Mrs. Florence Todd, of the Bowery settlement for girls, has never varied from her assertion of that belief. Chu Gain, who lived in terror of his jealous rival, Leon Sing, and had known both the girl and her mother for years is of the same belief. Assistant District Attorney Ward is inclined to the theory of Quo Yick Nam, the interpreter, who thinks that the girl was lured to Leon's rooms by a report of feigned illness and there chloroformed after Leon had been angered by her coldness and her refusal to see no more of Chu Gain, his wealthier rival.

The chloroform, Quo believes, worked too well, and when Leon found he could not revive Elsie he bound her with a cord and wedged her into the trunk. In support of this theory is the pathetic and moving prayer written on a mission letter head, which the girl left for her mother on the day she went to her death. It seems impossible, it is argued, that a girl going on anything but a righteous mission could have written such a note.

Captain Carey to-day paid another visit to the room where the body lay and found ashes in the stove, which may account for the missing skirt and waist and the missing handkerchief which Chung says he saw between the girl's teeth.

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CHARGES AGAINST MONTREAL FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Whatever a Witness Swears To In The Way Of Graft Is Promptly Denied By Another Witness—Mr. Ames, M.P., Had a Chance To Have His Assessment Reduced.

Montreal, June 23.—Ex-Alderman Ames, M. P., was one of the witnesses at the Royal Commission to-day, and his evidence was an example of the favors which are at the disposal of members of the Montreal city council. Mr. Ames testified that when he was first elected to the city council he was asked by the city assessors if he desired the value of his property for assessment purposes to be reduced, but he declined the offer, saying that if the valuation was correct for him as a citizen it must also be correct as an alderman.

There seems to be a perfect carnival of perjury going on at the investigation amongst the members of the fire brigade. In nearly every case where charges have been made, evidence diametrically opposed to that given by the witnesses to the charge has been forthcoming.

It would seem from the evidence that middlemen had scouts out in the rural districts looking up farmers with bank accounts who were willing to pay for appointments to the fire department. One of the witnesses to-day testified that three-quarters of the men in his parish, which is one of the rural districts below Quebec, were members of the Montreal fire department.

BATTERSEA IN DRY BELT.

Two Presentations To Retiring Methodist Minister.

Battersea, June 21.—This locality seems to be in the dry belt again this summer. The good rains appear to stop within a few miles south and west of here every time. Entrance examinations began this morning in the village school. A goodly number



OVERHAULING BAGGAGE ON THE PIER

New York, June 21.—Customs officials now use fine comb methods in searching passengers' baggage at this port, following the recent strict examination in relation to the seizure of Persian lamb coats and other valuables on the steamship America.

Steamships arriving here this week

of candidates are writing. Morley Shurtleff, M.A., is in charge. Some of the boys writing would prefer going to see Buffalo Bill's show on Friday.

Rev. A. Shorter, who has been the earnest and faithful pastor in the Methodist church during the past year here, preached his farewell sermon on Sunday evening to a large congregation. All regret that the conference law would not permit him to remain for a longer period. The Ladies Aid tendered him a farewell party in the parsonage, and during the evening presented him with an address and a beautiful gold watch fob and locket, prettily monogrammed. The choir also waited on him and presented him with a purse of money. He took his departure for his home at Sawyersville, Que., this morning. Rev. W. K. Short, of Kingston, visited here last week and announced that he would not be able to move his family here for a few weeks.

Frederick Keeler, proprietor of the

"Bay View" summer hotel, has erected a commodious boathouse for the use of his guests.

Leonard Van Luyven, proprietor of the new summer hotel in the village, entertained his first United States guests last week.

S. J. Lake, proprietor of the Granite House, has improved the exterior by paint and a cement walk.

Samuel Jamison has constructed a new fence and a fine cement walk in front of his premises.

William Keeler has also improved the appearance of his residence by paint.

Dr. S. K. Lake has returned from an extensive tour through some of the States and Western Ontario.

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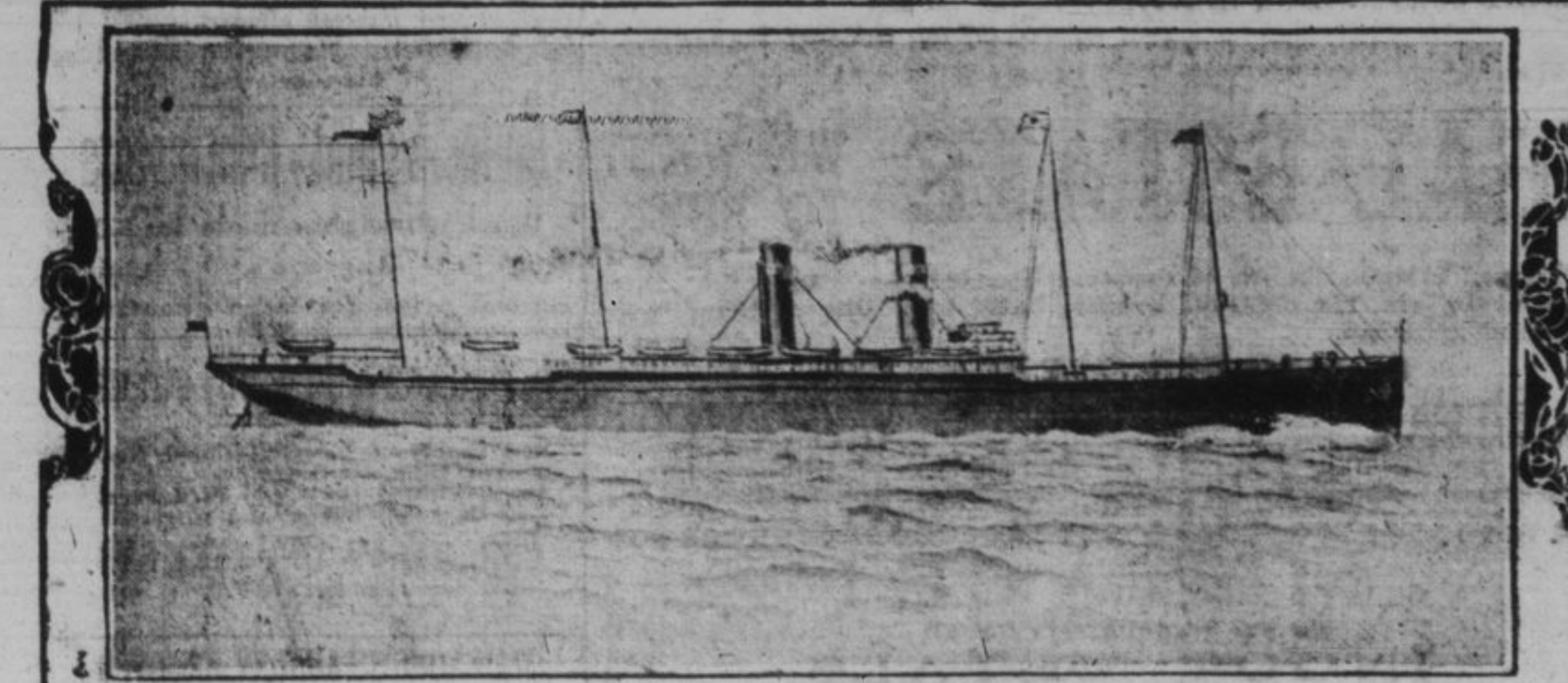
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