

**"Third Degree" Fails to
Make Chinese Friend of
Leon Give Testimony
That Might Implicate
Him—Dramatic Finale.**

(Closest News by Lourest Leased Wire.)
 "Canton, July 7.—Chong Sing, 'ghost,' hidden in an adjoining room, was one of the team that worked the most sensational 'third degree' ever administered by the New York police last night. He was the only one who was regarded as 'more than an accessory' in the murder of George Sigel's granddaughter, and the 'work' was done in the cell in the city hall where he is in detention on Mulberry street last night.

Acting on a suggestion from the district attorney's office, three special officers, who were working with a Chinese interpreter decided to try this drastic experiment on Chong Sing in the almost hopeless prospect of forcing him to confess to the murder of the girl and his death. Chong has been imperturbable.

The woman was seated behind a wall against which Chong's back was placed as the police officers stood in front of her. The police officers heard be-

And the wall.
"Oh, Chong. Chong! Don't kill me, please! Give me money!"
All the group heard the words, but none pretended to notice them. Chong sacrificed the faces of his inquirers to satisfy their questions. The drama continued their quest.
As Chong came to a repetition of seeing the faces of the boys and feeling her pulse, the voice again sounded: "Don't kill me, Chong! Don't for the sake of the money! Oh, Leon, if you would only help me!"
The Chinaman jumped from his chair, in a hurry to get to the door. In desperation rolled from his face.
Again the wall of a woman's voice was heard. Chong fairly jumped to the floor, racing to the door and then, calling upon his oriental gods to rescue him. Then he whirled about and the voice again sounded. Chong regained his composure after restorative were applied.

After I knew Leon killed Elsie, I saw him after Elsie lay on bed. I feel her, but she died too quick. I not able to help her. Take her away. I heard her voice. She is ghost—she ask me to help her.

The Chinaman's hand were folded above his head and he was the picture of despair. Again the detectives returned to the room. Again the woman's voice was heard, but Chong did not tell more.

MISSISSIPPI FEUD BREAKS; 5 VICTIMS

(United Press Learned Wire.)

Union, Miss., July 17.—As the result of a shooting here today, of five men three are dead and two are dying: Joe and Peter McDonald were killed by C.

Chisolm, who, with Murphy, McDonald and Joe Miller, was fatally wounded, during tonight.

The shooting in the streets is said to have been the climax of a feud of months, in which the town has been virtually controlled by a mob.

The feud is said to have been caused by a dispute and a subsequent fight between Peter McDonald and Joe Miller over the ownership of a cow.

It is said that McDonald and Miller got into a fight during which Chisolm fired a revolver and shot McDonald dead. D. J. McDonald, a lawyer, came on Chisolm, who returned the fire, instantly killing D. J. McDonald.

Those who were taken from the scene fatally wounded.

SALARY INCREASE IN LOUISIANA COUNTY

The United States Land Office has

Salem, Or., July 17.—Average salary paid male teachers in Union county the last year was \$74 against \$70 the year before, according to the annual report of Superintendent E. E. Bragg filed in the office of the superintendent of public instruction today. The salary of female teachers has increased during the same time from \$33 to \$37.75.

The sum of \$49,544.60 was expended for the purchase of books in Union county this year as against \$38,023.40 the year before. The school population has decreased about 1000 during the same period as has increased slightly. There were 122 teachers employed during the school years of 1907-8, where there were 124 employed during 1906-7.

(United Press leased wire.)
Vancouver, B. C., July 17.—The chase for the remaining Itaipu robbers who held up the Canadian Pacific express recently at Ducks is again active. Yesterday four of the robbers were seen in the neighborhood of Lytton. Late in the afternoon two armed men were seen about four miles from town. They were called to answer the description of the wanted outlaws. A posse was organized to hunt them down.

It has been established that the bank robbery was a brother of Haney, the robber shot and killed by constables at Lytton. The brother is said to have been well known California outlaws who fled from that state some time ago, having behind them a trail of crimes.

**DECISION AFFECTING
THE FIELD EXIST**

(United Press-Los Angeles Wire.)
Chicago, July 17.—Mrs. David Beatty England, daughter of the late Marshall Field, will receive \$1,000,000 of the income from her share of the estate left by her millionaire merchant father. According to a decision rendered in the Federal court today by Judge Cutting, the claim of the executors of Field's will that according to a legacy which was made by the testator, the income from the legacy will not be available until the year after the death of the testator, has been rejected. The court held that the matter of income was distinct from the principal and was due from the date of the death of the testator.

Crop Prospects Bright.
Spokane, Wash., July 17.—Very little rain fell here the latter part of the week, but the prospects for farmers are pleased with crop prospects. The influx of homeseekers is

farm help. The situation in securing farm help is such that there would be insufficient help to take care of the crop. Conditions are easier now.

William Murray Dead.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Kenneth Murray, Wash., July 16.—William Murray, electrical engineer, Kimsa Electric Power company, died at his home here Wednesday evening. Death was due to typhoid fever. He is survived by a widow and two babies.