

AH TIE'S "EXPENSES."

Damaging Documentary Evidence Against the Heathen.

A Receipt Which Connects Him With the Forgeries—He Demanded More Money "For the City Attorney."

Since the discovery of the forged letters, purporting to have been signed by City Attorney Hart and demanding money of Ah Tie, the wily heathen who is now in jail, the authorities have been searching high and low for evidence that would connect the tricky mongol directly with the forgeries.

But until yesterday all efforts were fruitless. Ah Tie denied stoutly that he had anything to do with the letters, or that he had ever seen them before. He assumed great indignation over his treatment by the Chee Kong Tong Society and the police, and since his incarceration has been threatening all sorts of damage and slander suits and criminal prosecutions.

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The document is written in Chinese, and when interpreted discloses the following entries. It is an itemized affair and sets forth that on one occasion \$30 was given to the City Attorney and on another occasion \$20. Then there are expenses for cigars, handkerchiefs, bribe-cash and other "presents" for various city and county officials. At the bottom of the paper is written a demand for \$100 "for City Attorney Hart."

This receipt is now in the hands of W. H. S. Scott, who has been employed by the Chee Kong Tong Society to prosecute Ah Tie.

It appears that Ah Tie has been making money "hand over fist" out of the society on his false promises. According to the statement made by a prominent official in the society yesterday, Tie was never employed directly by the society, but volunteered his services. He explained to the society that he was the sole possessor of

A MARVELOUS "PULL." With the authorities, both city and county; that at a wink of his eye Judge Cravens would render a decision in the Police Court just as the omnipotent Ah Tie desired; at a nod of his head City Attorney Hart would prosecute a favored highbinder with his wonted venom; the police department waited with bated breath for orders from him before making arrests in his territory; and if the society had any enemies who needed punishment the police would "seek it to them"; District Attorney Ryan, the Sheriff, the judges, all were all under the spell of Tie's hypnotic eye.

Truly was Ah Tie a great man, and the society considered that it was indeed fortunate in securing his services. THEY BECAME SUSPICIOUS. But Tie was a costly luxury, and his ceaseless demands upon the society's exchequer for "presents" soon had the funds at a low ebb. He threatened the society with all sorts of terrible disasters. He would turn the full force of his "pull" upon the society and wipe it out of existence. But the society was rather thoroughly satisfied that Tie "pull" existed only in his own imagination and refused to surrender. Then Ah Tie sued for \$100 "for services as an interpreter"—which suit has been referred to previously in the RECORD-UNION.

It was where Tie overreached himself. It was this proceeding that brought to light the forgeries and landed Tie in jail. Lawyer Scott says that although Ah Tie's receipt was given to him to be used in the prosecution of Tie, which the society proposes to bring, he will place it at the disposal of City Attorney Hart to be used against Tie in the forgery case.

Ah Tie employed Henry C. Buckley to defend him, but that gentleman, having learned the particulars of the case, absolutely refused yesterday to have anything to do with Ah Tie, and so notified the heathen.

BATTERED IN THE DARK. The Way Tannert and Schuman Got Into Court. G. Schuman has had a woful experience, which culminated in the Police Court yesterday in the loss of his suit against one Robert Tannert for battery.

Tannert and Schuman were the only witnesses in the case, and neither of them were especially clear-headed or expert in the use of expressive English.

As near as could be ascertained, with their actions spoke louder and more explicitly than words. It seems Tannert rooms in Schuman's house, 1009 Ninth street, and hearing a slight noise outside his "shutters" at 1 o'clock in the night, he got up and transacted the following business.

He said: "I hurt somebody py my window in de middle of de night, and I want to find somedings py my shudders. Vat shall I do? I not know vat it was, unt I schlopt 'im on der kop." "What's that you did?" asked the City Attorney.

"I nocket 'im py der het. Der not was a schuin py der place, unt I not been trunk 'im. Who shall come by my howis dot vat?" Schuman's story differed somewhat. He stated that he was outside on the walk in the dark, and Tannert, who is stoutly proportioned and built like a prize-fighter, came out and jumped on him and struck him a number of times, in the darkness.

When they went to a light, however, Tannert said: "Hello! I'y himel! I was hit you, Schuhn? I not know idt was you?" and when Tannert found out for sure that it was him he jumped on him again and punched him harder, and threatened to kill him.

Schuman's head had been badly bruised, and Tannert had evidently put in some heavy blows. The court, however, found Tannert not guilty, saying there seemed to be something back of the facts testified to. And so Schuman went his way lamenting, while Tannert is still in position to "perfect" his premises against midnight marauders.

which he dropped his neck-tie on the floor, from which it was picked up by someone and placed on the bar. When Stolz had achieved victory in the battle he found his scarf-pin missing from the tie, and shortly after one of the Gassaway brothers, both of whom were present during the scuffle, proposed to find it a consideration of \$250, and did so in a remarkably short space of time after he was offered the money.

Stolz testified that he saw one of the Gassaways hand the pin to the other before they left the room. The Gassaways pretended to be detectives in the employ of Wells, Fargo & Co. Both of the men made long and somewhat irrelevant statements about the transaction, in which they introduced an ex-convict as the man from whom they claimed they recovered the pin.

The judge, however, after weighing the testimony, found them guilty of theft and will impose his sentence on Monday.

PROBATE MATTERS. Administrators Appointed and Wills Admitted to Probate. In the matter of the estate of Charles F. Lehman, Judge Van Fleet yesterday granted letters of administration to the widow, Elizabeth P. Lehman. Appraisers were appointed to estimate the value of the estate.

Letters of administration on the estate of John Lynch, deceased, were issued to the widow, and appraisers were appointed. Mrs. Sarah T. Yager was granted letters of administration on the estate of James J. Brown, deceased. She was also appointed guardian of the Brown minor heirs.

Final accounts were settled in the matters of the estates of Walter Ewing and D. E. Mann, deceased, and letters issued to Joseph S. Jones. Letters of administration were issued to Paul Leonard on the estate of Mrs. Alice Leonard, deceased.

A YOUNG FUGITIVE. He Crawls Into a Hole, But Is With-drawn. Chief Rodgers yesterday arrested a boy, who gives his name as Ralph Cravens, for being with two others who hired a horse and buggy at the Fashion Stables last Sunday, and drove the animal almost to death.

The officers had been after this boy for several days, without success. Yesterday the Chief tracked him down to a place on the river, and when he found him he had crawled in under some bales of hay, whence he was withdrawn by the heels and taken to the City Jail.

FRIGHTENED WITNESSES. Slow Progress of the Examination of the Highbinders. Witnesses Who Appear to be Afraid to Tell What They Know of the Shooting.

The preliminary examination of Chin Hing and Hoey Yin Sing, for the murder of Lee Gong, was resumed before Judge Cravens in the Police Court yesterday.

Lee Sam, the only person beside Lee Gong's wife, who was in the store at the time Lee Gong was shot, and who commenced testifying on Thursday, concluded his evidence yesterday. He reiterated the testimony of Ah Wah, the murdered merchant's wife, and stated that he saw the accused in the store and saw them as they ran away after firing the shot.

Several other Chinamen were examined and they all were very conservative and would not say a word more than compelled to in answer to questions that had to be frequently repeated.

The defense tried to establish that Lee Sam, who is a member of the Chee Kong Tong Company, was one of a number imported here from San Francisco to fight the Bing Kong Tong. His arms were found to be tattooed with figures of a woman and a flag on one, and on the other some Chinese characters and sketches in India ink.

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THEY WERE REVENGED. A Long Standing Debt Paid—Ex-Trustee Wolf the Victim. Once upon a time ex-City Trustee Wolf perpetrated a villainous practical joke upon Frank Bergman and Charles Schwilke, two of Sacramento's most innocent and confident young men.

History reports it that they were referred to, in their innocence, shot Sally McGanders instead of the toothsome canvass-back. Wolf persuaded them that they outclassed all other hunters and that they had birds of the finest quality, and offered them \$10 a piece for their prizes, but they wouldn't sell. But when they took the feathery frauds home and tried to catch them there was blood on the face of the moon.

Time rolled on, but the two young men never forgot the shameful treatment they had received. They longed for revenge. An opportunity presented itself a day or two ago, and they jumped at it. Wolf, it appears, had waded with his acquaintance that Blaine would not be nominated, and of course won. Three elegant havanas were at stake—three for a dollar, you know. The loser left a dollar at Bergman's stand and Wolf was told to call and get the smokers. Here was where Schwilke and Bergman got in their work. They held a council of war, and then adjourned to Chinatown, where they purchased three of the toughest cigars that were to be found.

Still Cool and Pleasant. The Weather Bureau reports show the highest and lowest temperatures yesterday to have been 76° and 52°, with gentle southerly winds and a partly cloudy sky during the forenoon and clear during the remainder of the day.

SENTENCE DAY. A. J. Beck Will Spend His Vacation at San Quentin. George Roberts Gets Off Luckily—Ah Charley Goes to Folsom for Three Years.

Yesterday was sentence day in Judge Van Fleet's court. Five convicted criminals were brought in by Deputy Sheriff's Fay and Newbert, to be prescribed for. A. J. Beck, the swell young chap who was going into business in L. O., but who had spoiled the scheme by robbing a party of several hundred dollars' worth of lace, hosiery, gloves, and the like, was the first one ordered to stand up.

He looked dejected and generally dilapidated—anything but the dashing individual who attended swell Germans and tea parties up to within a few hours before his arrest. Judge Van Fleet, in passing sentence, took occasion to give the prisoner a bit of a lecture.

Those of the Fremont Primary School Who Won a Half-Holiday. Following are the names of pupils in the Fremont Primary School, Mrs. M. E. Mumford, Principal, who are entitled to a half-holiday:

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What We May Look For During the Coming Month. Director Barwick, of the State Weather Service of the United States Department of Agriculture, furnishes the following data, compiled from the record of observations for the month of July, taken at this station during a period of fifty years.

It is believed that the facts thus set forth will prove of interest to the public, as well as the special student, showing as they do the average and extreme conditions of the more important meteorological elements and the range within which such variations may be expected to keep during any corresponding month:

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IN BAD COMPANY. He Followed Boys Who Chased Street Cars, and Was Shot. N. Brunel was tried in the Police Court yesterday for cruelty to animals in having shot a shepherd dog belonging to John Steen. It was shown by the evidence that two of Steen's boys were chasing the electric cars, and the dog was playing with them.

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