

SAM GOON ENTERTAINED

It Was a Merry Night With Chinatown Withal.

DANCED TILL 5 THIS MORNING

With Extra Quantity and Extra Quality of Especially Spiced "Snaps" Imported, Norfolk Mongolian Gave a Party to His Friends.

(From Tuesday's Daily.) Chinatown was gay last night in Norfolk. Every Chinaman in town played the part of royal host to a large number of colored friends. Every Chinaman in Norfolk was Sam Goon, alone, and he was the entire entertainer of his friends. In celebration of the festive Chinese New Year, as is his long wonted custom, Sam invited everybody in town to be his guest and as a result the empty hall over the butcher shop of Schenzel & Apfel was crowded from the early hours of the evening until the dawn of another day had come peeping in at the windows this morning.

For fully eight short and intensely mirthful hours Sam's friends, to the cheering music of rattling, rousing, rollicking rag time which was torn out by the bolt, danced and swung and jigged and danced again, enjoying the pleasure of the New Year's event with ever increasing ardor and becoming even more unwilling than ever to leave the scene of their merry-making when the morning factory whistles began to blow and the rumbling racket of premature milk wagons upon the silent street, came echoing up the narrow stairway and into the roomful of fun.

The Supper.

At 9 o'clock the guests began to arrive. At 10 there were more and shortly after midnight the hall was packed to overflowing. For at 1 o'clock Sam had announced a magnificent supper which was served gratuitously to all his guests and it was a good one for sure. There was everything to eat that you could think of and other things besides. Perhaps the feature most enjoyed was the heaping canful of choicely spiced "snaps" that had been imported by the Norfolk Chinaman for this particular occasion, and which, being the whiskey of the orient, tasted quite as good to the copper colored citizen and his friends as any Kentucky flavored liquor that was ever turned out of a jug.

After supper the crowd began to dance again and it was after 5 this morning before they had even thought of going home. Sam shows them so much of real enjoyment that they'd like to die a dancing.

The square dance predominated. Not many of those present take keen pleasure in the round dance and it is generally with an able caller to maneuver the set of eight that they are in their most ecstatic state.

The Guests.

Among those present were Mesdames Sadie De Bloise, Mellie Shipman, Ellis, Blair and Johnson; then there were Charlie Jackson, Al Johnson, Les, Mallory and Otis Shipman, Alton Gaines, Bennie Dixon, George Dixon, Albert De Bloise, Charles Ellis and Add Blanton, who came from Omaha.

Sadie was gowned in a striking patriotic effect with red, white and blue stripes running longitudinally upon it. After the hall had been started going, Sadie stepped up to the musicians in a quiet manner and requested that they next play a round dance. Charlie Jackson thought a waltz would be better but Sadie called the laugh on him right there. "What on earth is a round dance," she said, "if it isn't a waltz?" And Charlie had to admit that Sadie had the better of the argument.

Al Johnson Talked.

Al Johnson was a little late in coming. Al seemed seriously inclined at first and instead of entering into the mirth he went over to one side of the hall and began to talk earnestly to a friend. Sadie couldn't stand for that. "Al Johnson," says she, "You has got to dance."

"Ah, I'm talkin'," says Al. "Now this is a jollification," insisted Sadie. "And you can do your talkin' tomorrow."

So Al got into the game. Sam Goon doesn't do any dancing himself. But he isn't like the fellow who wouldn't let other people enjoy the light fantastic gliding. He is a true Chinaman, too, and that is why he likes to give the world a good time upon the occasion of his New Year's day.

The Custom.

On New Year's the Chinaman, says Sam, shakes hands with all the world and forgets the bitter past. Upon that date he begins life anew and all debts which remain unliquidated then, remain in that alarming condition for all time to come.

When they get up in the morning, good Chinamen go around the city and greet everybody they meet—men, women and children in a joyous way. And if any fellow owes another, he hunts up the creditor to square the account lest he shall be doomed for the deed.

BATTLE CREEK.

S. T. Napper of Norfolk was here on business Saturday. Henry Hahre of Elgin is visiting

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John (last).

Chas. Marsh of Meadow Grove was here Saturday.

Chas. Richardson, a student in the Seligh college, visited here Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Richardson.

Wm. Poeggerle, who went to St. Helena, Custer county, for a visit with relatives, took suddenly sick with typhoid fever. His brother-in-law, John Wolff, who had charge of his saloon, was closed up the business and gone to see him.

WEDNESDAY WRINKLES.

Harry Gillam was down from Waukegan.

Geo. D. Reese was in town from Pierce.

F. D. Wagner was a city visitor from Creighton.

L. V. Haskell visited in Norfolk from Wakefield.

Mrs. J. C. Bender of Bloomfield visited in Norfolk.

Mayor C. S. Smith was over from Madison on business.

W. H. Bucholz has gone to Hastings and Omaha on business.

Guy Denel was a city visitor yesterday from Meadow Grove.

Mrs. C. H. Reynolds and Mrs. W. H. Bucholz have gone to Omaha for a visit. They will return Friday.

W. M. Alderson and Art Anselme were in the city yesterday from Humphrey.

D. Rooney of Marshalltown, Ia., is in the city with a view to establishing a cement tile factory.

Rev. Father T. Barnett has arrived to take the place of assistant to Rev. Father Walsh of this city.

The Pacific hotel is being redecorated in the office rooms and the lobby, and will be greatly improved in appearance.

The Ladies gUILD was entertained at a social session yesterday afternoon by Mrs. J. W. Gibson, it being the last meeting of the society before the beginning of Lent.

Mrs. S. K. Long returned from Omaha where she attended a convention of Viavi workers. Doctor Law of San Francisco, founder of the Viavi remedies, was present and addressed the class.

Prospects are favorable for building operations to open with a rush in Norfolk this spring as soon as the weather will permit. A number of new houses and other buildings have been in process during the entire winter, and contractors and builders have been kept uniformly busy through a season that has ordinarily been dull.

A number of her young friends gave Miss Lila Williams, the little girl who was so seriously ill for a long time, a very happy surprise party at her home southwest of the city. After her severe attack of pneumonia, her little friends were more than delighted to have her with them again. For twenty-six days she was unconscious and her complete recovery has been considered quite marvelous.

Contractors are at work tearing down the old foundry at the corner of Phillip avenue and Seventh street, preparatory to removing the machinery and rebuilding a complete new machine shop. E. A. Bullock is the owner and intends to establish the new shops near the electric light station. During the past year Mr. Bullock has made improvements in the lighting station to the extent of \$3,000.

J. E. Simpson has received a copy of the Decorah, Iowa, Republican, a paper from his old home town for which he has been a subscriber for more than forty years, in which it is announced that a new linotype machine has been installed, and describes the process of getting the reading matter in shape under the new method. The Republican is a weekly paper, but it uses a large amount of reading matter in each issue and is in a city where there is a large amount of job and outside work to do, so that it may be expected to keep the machine busy, and find it a profitable investment.

The Norfolk Circuit Herald is the name of a new paper just issued from the press of The News office. It is a small publication of four pages, three columns to the page, but is interesting to the class of people it hopes to have on its subscription books, being published in the interests of the Norfolk circuit of the Methodist Episcopal church. The editor is Rev. W. R. Peters, who has a number of charges and appointments tributary to Norfolk, including Hoskins, Boga, Warnerville, school house in district No. 10 and Plainview school house. The paper is well patronized by advertisers, and its news matter and topics are of interest to the people of the various appointments. It does not cost a great deal to get on the subscription list and the name of every Methodist and others interested, should be on the list.

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An Early Riser. A strong, healthy, active constitution depends largely on the condition of the liver. The famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers are easy to act, they never gripe and yet they are absolutely certain to produce results that are satisfactory in all cases. Sold by Asa K. Leonard, druggist.

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A NORFOLK BOY GETS DIPLOMA

Ernest L. Bridge Graduates From Nebraska State University and Returns to Norfolk.

Ernest L. Bridge, a Norfolk boy who has been attending the state university at Lincoln during the past four years, graduated from the institution yesterday and received the degree of Bachelor of Arts. He is expected home tomorrow by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bridge. He has not

yet decided what he will do definitely. Mr. Bridge has been one of the steady type of students who got all there was out of his college life. He is a member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity and has always been very popular with his "frat" brothers.

Was Unfair.

Complaints have been entered upon certain features of the seat-sale which was conducted by the Reno show last night. One prominent citizen of South Norfolk has a bit of criticism to offer. He says the attraction was advertised at 15 cents for children. He sent two children up and they were taxed 25 cents each. They had to walk all the way back home—over a mile—against the cold wind to get the extra change and when they returned to the theater they found that such a roar had been made that the 15 cent rate had been put on.

A Thousand Dollars Thrown Away.

Mr. W. W. Baker of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife had lung trouble for over fifteen years. We tried a number of doctors and spent over a thousand dollars without any relief. She was very low and I lost all hope, when a friend suggested trying Foley's Honey and Tar, which I did; and thanks be to this great remedy, it saved her life. She is stronger and enjoys better health than she has ever known in ten years. We shall never be without Foley's Honey and Tar and would ask those afflicted to try it."

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Better Than Gold.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c.

Satisfaction guaranteed by Leonard, the druggist.

Nearly Forfeits His Life.

A runaway almost ending fatally, starting a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for burns, bruises, skin eruptions and piles. 25c at Leonard's drug store.

This said a bottle and a glass. Will make a person mellow. But Rock Mountain Tea's the drink That livens up a fellow. The Kiesau Drug Co.

Nasal Catarrh quickly yields to treatment by Ely's Cream Balm, which is agreeably aromatic. It is received through the nostrils, cleanses and heals the whole surface over which it diffuses itself. Druggists sell the 50c. size; Trial size by mail, 10 cents. Test it and you are sure to continue the treatment.

Announcement.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation.

Escaped an Awful Fate.

Mr. H. Higgins of Melbourne, Fla., writes: "My doctor told me I had consumption and nothing could be done for me. I was given up to die. The offer of a free trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, induced me to try it. Results were startling. I am now on the road to recovery and owe all to Dr. King's New Discovery. It surely saved my life." This great cure is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by Asa K. Leonard, druggist. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free.

No Reasonable Man

imagines that a neglected cold can be cured in a day. The uncountable air cells in the lungs are inflamed and the throat is as tender as an open sore. But time and Allen's Lung Balsam will overcome the cold and stave off consumption. The cough will cease and the lungs will be sound as a new dollar. All druggists sell Allen's Lung Balsam.

A Cure for Eczema.

My baby had eczema so bad that its head was a solid mass of scabs, and its hair all came out. I tried many remedies but none seemed to do any permanent good until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. The eczema is cured, the scabs are gone and the little one's scalp is perfectly clean and healthy, and its hair is growing beautifully again. I cannot give too much praise to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.—Frank Farmer, Bluff City, Ky.

In buying Witch Hazel Salve look out for counterfeits. DeWitt's is the original and the only one containing pure Witch Hazel. The name, E. C. DeWitt & Co., is on every box. Sold by Asa K. Leonard, druggist.

You need clean and healthy bowels just as much as pure, wholesome food; without either, you cannot keep well. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea eliminates all impurities. 35 cents, tea or tablets. The Kiesau Drug Co.

Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them. Only 25c at Leonard's drug store.

Setting a Prisoner Free.

A man with rheumatism is a prisoner. His fetters are none the less galling because they are invisible. To him Perry Davis' Painkiller comes as a liberator. Rubbed well into the swollen, stiffened joints it not only drives away the pain, it makes the muscles pliable so that the prisoner becomes a free man. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. 25 and 50 cents.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures the cough caused by an attack of la grippe. It heals the lungs. The Kiesau Drug Co.

Have You Indigestion?

If you have indigestion, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will cure you. It has cured thousands. It is curing people every day—every hour. You owe it to yourself to give it a trial. You will continue to suffer until you do try it. There is no other combination of digestants that digest and rebuild at the same time. Kodol does both. Kodol cures, strengthens and rebuilds. Sold by Asa K. Leonard, druggist.

Foley's Honey and Tar is best for croup and whooping cough, contains no opiates and cures quickly. Careful mothers keep it in the house. The Kiesau Drug Co.

Mrs. H. C. Jennings, Boston: "My babies (twins), were sickly. Had several doctors, but no results. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea made them strong and robust." 35 cents. Tea or tablet form. The Kiesau Drug Co.

Relief in One Minute.

One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the microbe which tickles the mucous membrane, causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlegm. It soothes the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the

lungs, wards off pneumonia and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of coughs, colds and croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good alike for young and old. Sold by Asa K. Leonard, druggist.

Nothing speaks more emphatically than nicely printed stationery—The for a neat, progressive business man News does it.

The most reliable preparation for kidney troubles on the market is Foley's Kidney Cure. The Kiesau Drug Co.

A Night Alarm.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the brassy cough of croup, which sounds like the children's death knell and it means death unless something is done quickly. Foley's Honey and Tar never fails to give instant relief and quickly cures the worst forms of croup. Mrs. P. L. Cordier of Man-nington, Ky., writes: "My three year old girl had a severe case of croup; the doctor said she could not live. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life." Refuse substitutes. The Kiesau Drug Co.

DON'T COLE! Take the genuine, original ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA Made only by Madison Medicine Co., Madison, Wis. It keeps you well. Our trade mark cut on each package. Price, 35 cents. Never sold in bulk. Accept no substitute. Ask your druggist!

LA GRIPPE

Pneumonia follows La Grippe but never follows the use of

FOLEY'S Honey and Tar

It stops the Cough and heals the lungs. Prevents Pneumonia and Consumption.

Mrs. G. VACHER, of 157 Oregon St., Chicago, writes: "My wife had la grippe and it left her with a very bad cough on her lungs which Foley's Honey and Tar cured completely."

THE CLEANSING AND HEALING CURE FOR CATARRH

Ely's Cream Balm. It is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at once. It Opens and Cleanses the Nasal Passages. Always Inflammation. Heals and Protects the Membrane. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Large Size, 50 cents; Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 66 Warren Street, New York.