

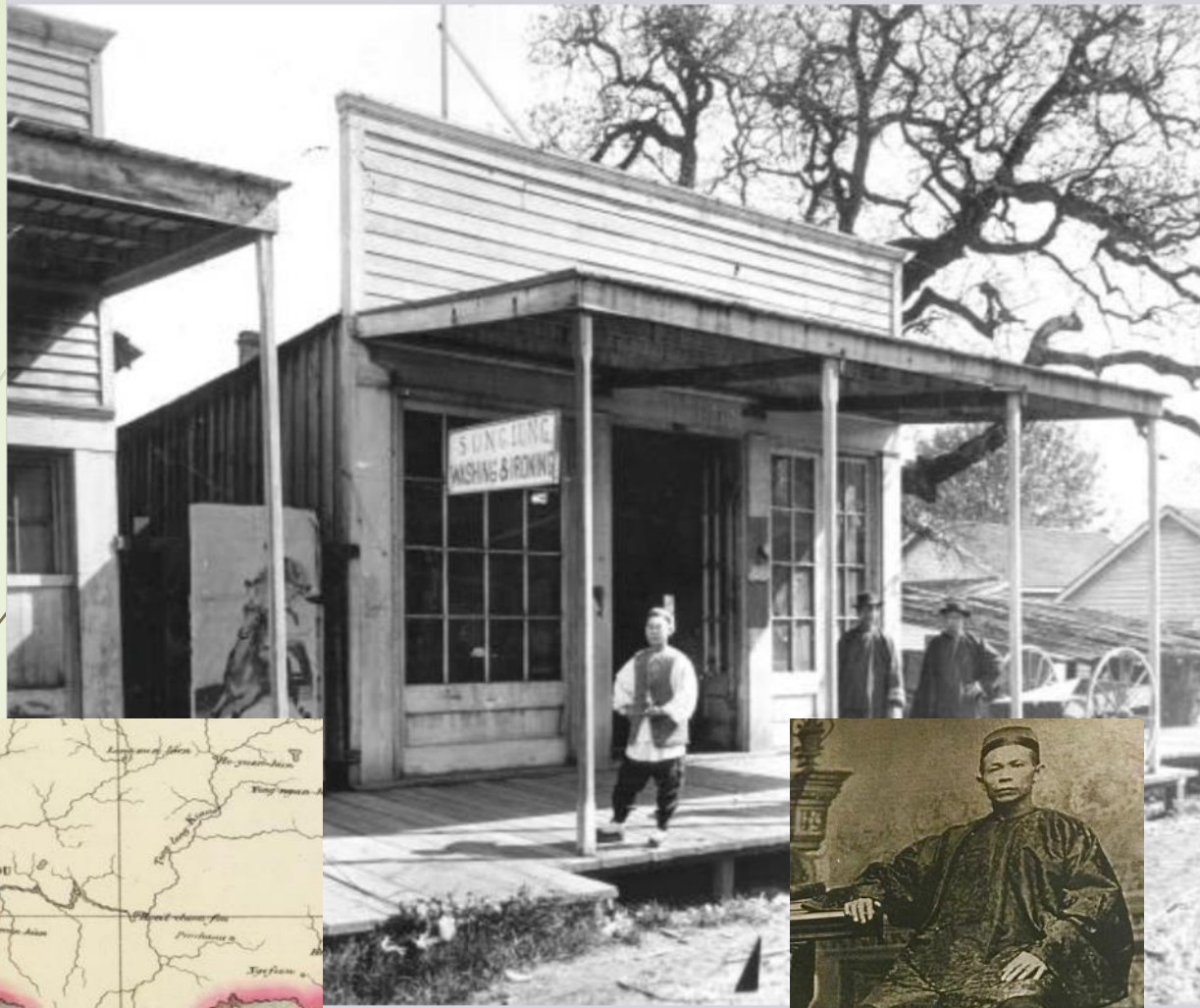


SALEM'S QING MING FESTIVAL

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Salem Had a Chinatown!

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1888



1903

Salem's Chinese Laborers

- Cooks
- Laundry Workers



Canton, China



Evidence of our Historical Connection to China

Searching for Salem's Early Chinese Community

KIMBERLI FITZGERALD, KIRSTEN STRAUS, AND KYLIE PINE



Salem's Chinese Shrine in Pioneer Cemetery



Community Shrines in Canton China



Qing Ming Festival – April 5, 2018



The traditional Chinese festival honors ancestors and the start of spring. ANNA REED and CAPI LYNN / Statesman Journal

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