

The New York Herald, 18 January 1912 LOSES TWO DOGS IN CELEBRATION CROWD

One Into Railroad Cut at Fifty-Ninth Street and Is Found, but Other Is Missing.

Mrs. Laurens Pember Rider, of No. 624 Fifth avenue, sent one of the employees of the apartment house in which she lives to exercise her two dogs, a little Pomeranian, *Polo*, and a Schipperke she calls *Doty*, yesterday. The man returned soon afterward and said he had lost the dogs in the crowds that were around the neighborhood awaiting the homecoming of Cardinal Farley [the Irish-born Archbishop of New York who had been created a Cardinal in 1911].

Mrs. Rider telephoned for three taxicabs, and when the chauffeurs arrived, she told them their mission was to find the dogs. They went around the neighborhood, but were unsuccessful. Mrs. Rider also scouted the neighborhood in an automobile and finally went to the East Fifty-first street station and reported her loss.

Early last evening Policeman Sullivan looked down the railroad cut at Fifty-second street and Lexington avenue and saw a man with *Polo*. He had tied a rope around the dog's neck and was dragging it away. Upon being questioned, the man said the dog had rolled down the cut and had fallen at his feet. The policeman took the dog to the station and later to Mrs. Rider. She said *Polo* had formerly belonged to Lord Avery.