

Dr. Mabel Ping-Hua Lee (1897—1966)

Mabel emigrated from China at nine years old settling in NYC with her parents. At 16 she participated on horseback in the May 4, 1912 Suffrage Parade held in NYC. Lee graduated from Barnard College, and earned her PhD in Economics from Columbia University in 1921. Even though the 1882 Chinese Exclusion Act would prevent her from voting until its repeal in 1943, she continued to work for women's suffrage and equal rights. It is unclear if she ever became a US citizen or voted.



Equali-tea:

Suffragist Tea Cozies in Redwork

a Suffrage Centennial exhibition by Tisha Dolton

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