1. **The Chinatown Gate**: aka the Dragon Gate, entrance to Chinatown, built in 1970.
2. **Grant Avenue**: the main street of Chinatown with most of the tourist shops.
3. **Sing Chong Building**: first building of post-earthquake Chinatown, in new “Chinese” style. 601 Grant Ave.
4. **Old Saint Mary’s Cathedral**: early SF church, only Chinatown building to survive earthquake and fire.
5. **Waverly Place**: “Street of Painted Balconies”, pretty alley, former setting of brothels and tong battles.
7. **Old Chinese Telephone Exchange**: now a bank, formerly the telephone exchange for Chinatown. 743 Washington.
8. **Portsmouth Square**: SF began here, Democracy statue, elderly Chinese chess players.
10. **Great China Herb Co.**: long-time, traditional Chinese apothecary shop, opened 1922. 857 Washington St.
11. **Stockton Street**: where the residents shop, vegetable, seafood and animal markets.
12. **Chinese Historical Society**: museum of Chinese history and culture, different exhibits. 965 Clay St.