

INTOXICATED MAN SHOTS COURAGE

PEERLESS SALOON IS SCENE OF AFFRAY

Prominent Real Estate Dealer is
Dying as Result of Wound.

Wielder of Gun is
Under Arrest

A. L. Wilson, a prominent real estate man who has recently fallen heir to a large sum of money and a member of the firm of Wilson & Kelly, is dying at the receiving hospital as the result of a bullet which entered his head just over the left eye, having been fired by G. W. Kennedy of 224 South Main street in the Peerless saloon at Second and Main streets about 1 o'clock last night.

The bullet plowed its way through the frontal bones and under the skull, lodging in the posterior parietal. The doctors state that it is not likely that the injured man will live until morning, but if he does an effort will be made to extract the broken bones.

There had been no quarrel between the two men previous to the shooting. In company with H. Elmors, who runs a cigar stand on Second and Main streets, they entered the saloon in a drunken condition, so the bartender states, and Kennedy called for the drinks, John Williams, the bartender, refused to serve them, telling them that they were drunk.

"You need some of this, too," then give us a drink," shouted Kennedy.

Williams again refused and Kennedy pulled a gun from his pocket and with an oath shot at him. Williams saw his motions and ducked behind the bar just in time to save himself. The bullet embedded itself in the wood between the bar mirrors.

Kennedy turned to Wilson, standing at his right hand, and shouted: "You need some of this, too," and fired the shot which will probably cause Wilson's death.

Kennedy fired a third shot at Dan Mulhern, a real estate dealer with offices at 511 Wilcox building, who had been standing near the bar and had entered the saloon to wash himself. Mulhern saw the gun being turned his way and jumped behind the bar.

Realizing what he had done, Kennedy turned the gun upon himself and pulled the trigger, but his aim was poor and the bullet missed him. It glanced from the wall and struck another man standing in the saloon, inflicting a slight wound.

Patrolman Geo. Daniels heard the shots and rushed into the saloon. Comprehending with a glance what had taken place, he immediately placed Kennedy under arrest and called the ambulance.

Wilson and Kennedy were taken to the police station. Kennedy was locked up and Wilson was taken into the receiving hospital, where the doctors did all they could to relieve his sufferings.

Wilson is a man with a family, living at 186 East Forty-eighth street, and has always borne a good reputation and is well thought of by his business associates.

Kennedy, so the police say, is a well known character and has an occupation whatever. He was placed under arrest less than a year ago for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

TO STUDY RUBBER CULTURE
Stanford Professor Will Have Charge of Experimental Station in Tropical Mexico
Special to The Herald.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Dec. 14.—Dr. Pehr Olson-Seffer, for the last two years an instructor in the department of systematic botany at Stanford university, has been selected to take charge of a new botanical station in tropical Mexico, and will sail for the next steamer. This position is important and much sought for. The object of the station, with which will be connected a chemical laboratory and a meteorological bureau, is to investigate the different problems connected with the cultivation of rubber and coffee. The establishment of a permanent scientific station for study of the rubber culture promises a new era in this industry. Dr. Olson-Seffer has been busy for the last few weeks shipping the necessary equipment for the laboratory.

AUTOMOBILE CLAIMS VICTIM
Eastern Woman Visiting in San Diego is Severely Injured in Accident
Special to The Herald.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 14.—As the result of an automobile accident at the corner of Tenth and H streets this afternoon Mrs. M. Adelaide Preston of Charlotte, Mich., is in the hospital seriously injured about the head and with her right collar bone broken. Mrs. Preston is a tourist, who is here for the winter. She was riding down Fifth street and intended to turn upon H street. An automobile belonging to Miss Jaricki of Erie, Pa., who is a winter guest at the Hotel Coronado, was making rapid progress up H street to turn onto Fifth street and a head-on collision followed. Mrs. Preston was thrown from her bicycle and fell on her head and shoulders. The physicians believe the woman will live.

Hugh Watt's Trial Begins
By Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The trial commenced at the Old Bailey today of Hugh Watt, financier and former member of parliament, on extraordinary charges of infidelity. Julia Watt, and Sir Reginald Beauchamp, whose divorced wife is now Lady Violet Watt, wife of the defendant. Counsel for the prosecution made a lengthy statement, going over the ground covered at the police court trial and contending that Watt was of perfectly sound mind, notwithstanding his strange conduct.

A. E. Valois Promoted
By Associated Press.

PARIS, Dec. 14.—Arthur E. Valois, former consul to the United States consulate general, who was made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor in 1901, was today promoted to be an officer of the legion.

CLEVER THIEF'S TRICK

Secures \$5000 Worth of Furs Which Were Sent to a Chicago Hotel

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The detective bureau last night finished the first 24 hours of an unsuccessful investigation into an ingenious \$5000 theft that was committed Tuesday afternoon.

Designed for Miss Frances E. Filz, a wild silver mink and other furs were ordered to be delivered at the Hotel Martha Washington Tuesday by a mercantile establishment. The delivery wagon was met at the threshold by a man in uniform pretending to be connected with the establishment.

He signed properly for the package. Working as he did under the eyes of genuine employees of the hotel, he proceeded to take from a man in uniform the package, and after inquiring at the office for a fictitious person coolly made off with the property.

AMUNDSEN'S EXPEDITION

Information Obtained of the Greatest Value From a Geological Standpoint

By Associated Press.
SEATTLE, Dec. 14.—The information that the Norwegian explorer, Captain R. Amundsen, who discovered the northwest passage while working under command of the expedition of the London Royal Geographical society and many men of prominence in both Norway and Sweden, was conveyed to this city in a cablegram addressed to Major W. A. Glassford and sent by Captain Hartman of the signal corps at Valdez under the date of December 12.

The cable also states that an observation station had been maintained for two years in latitude 68 degrees and 30 minutes north and 90 degrees west, and that the data acquired corroborates the observations of Sir Charles Ross.

Those observations are expected to be of the utmost importance to scientific men and mariners navigating northern waters. The cable also stated that many narrow passages, some impossible for the ship to enter, were met on the trip, and that the auxiliary oil power in the Gjøa was of the greatest possible value to the little craft in making the trip. No dynamite whatever was used by the explorers in making the passage.

OLD FLAG HOUSE SAVED

Building Where Betsy Ross Designed Stars and Stripes Bought for the Government

By Associated Press.
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—The two-story brick structure at 239 Arch street, known as the "Old Flag House," where Betsy Ross designed the American flag, has been purchased for the government.

On October 27, 1788, a meeting was held in the "Old Flag House" under the direction of John Quincy Adams and Charles H. Weisgarber, and the American Flag House and Betsy Ross Memorial association was formed and later incorporated. The object was to purchase the historic dwelling and to save it to the nation. This was accomplished through the issuance of membership certificates at the uniform price of 10 cents each, and the co-operation of the people of the entire country. There are a million stockholders.

PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMY

MacArthur to Be Lieutenant General. Wood Will Command Philippine Division

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—The authoritative statement was made at the war department that on the retirement in September next of General Corbin who will succeed General Bates in April next as lieutenant general, General Wood will succeed General MacArthur in the office next in line of succession, will be promoted to the grade of lieutenant general.

It also was announced that General Wood probably will succeed General Corbin as commanding general of the Philippine division, since he is the senior general officer in the Philippines next to General Corbin.

ERNEST WHITE'S DENIAL

Bakersfield Boy Says He Was Not Forced Out of the Naval Academy

By Associated Press.
BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 14.—Ernest White, the naval academy student from Bakersfield whose resignation was recently noted, has returned to this city and he denies most emphatically the report that he was forced out of the institution by the academy code.

Mr. White stood well with the upper classes and his record in the academy as a student was all that could be desired. His resignation was due solely to a disqualification on his part to go into the service and had been in contemplation for some time.

CHADSEY PLEADS GUILTY

Prominent Brooklyn Lawyer Confesses to Larceny in the Second Degree

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Benjamin F. Chadsey, the Brooklyn lawyer who was arrested at Niles, Mich., and brought back to this city on a charge of larceny, pleaded guilty to attempted larceny in the second degree in the county court of Brooklyn today.

Chadsey, who is a prominent lawyer and campaign orator, was charged with the larceny of funds of a client, Isabella Miller. He fled to South America and later was arrested in San Francisco and brought to this city, where he forfeited bail.

William Sharp, Author, is Dead
By Associated Press.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The death is announced from San Francisco of William Sharp, author. Concurrently with the announcement, Sharp's friend, Richard Whiteing, reveals the interesting fact that Sharp was the author of the works published under the pseudonym of Miss Fiona MacLeod.

Yates Candidate for Senator
By Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 14.—Former Governor Richard Yates today announced himself a candidate for United States senator.

TOES TO EFFECT RECONCILIATION

COREY'S FATHER HAS LONG TALK WITH SON

Says He Made No Derogatory Remarks Concerning the Younger Man.

Wife is Coming to Los Angeles

Special to The Herald.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A. A. Corey, father of W. Ellis Corey, president of the United States Steel corporation, arrived in this city from Braddock, Pa., today for the purpose of effecting a reconciliation between the latter and his wife, the marital discord being the outcome, as alleged, of the younger Corey's acquaintance with Mabelle Gilman, an actress.

The father and son had a long and earnest talk. Later on a statement purporting to have been made by the elder Corey was given out for publication, in which he said he never made any derogatory remarks concerning his son and believed he had done nothing dishonorable.

A positive announcement was made today from the offices of the executive committee of the United States Steel corporation that the marital difficulties of W. Ellis Corey in no wise would affect his standing as head of that corporation and he would continue in his position as president.

Mrs. Corey May Go East
By Associated Press.

BRADDOCK, Pa., Dec. 14.—It is reported here that Mrs. W. Ellis Corey is coming east for a reconciliation with her husband, who is president of the United States Steel corporation.

Leaves for Los Angeles
By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Mrs. W. Ellis Corey and party left here Tuesday in an automobile on a pleasure trip on route to Los Angeles and may go east from there.

TAXING OF CORPORATIONS

Must Be Levied in Counties Where Actual Operations Are Conducted

By Associated Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—The supreme court handed down four decisions today establishing the principle that the franchise of corporations must be taxed by counties in which active operations are conducted instead of in the counties where their respective headquarters are maintained.

The corporations which instituted the suits were the Oakland Water company, the Contra Costa Water company and the Stockton Gas and Electric company. The first two concerns, the franchises of which must be taxed in Oakland, have their central offices in San Francisco. The gas and electric company franchise has its home office in San Francisco, but its franchise will be taxed in San Joaquin county. Both opinions were written by Justice Lorigan.

The Stockton case was an action instituted by the corporation to compel the return of money paid as taxes on its franchise for the years 1898 and 1899 to the officials of San Joaquin county.

The company paid taxes on its pipes, poles and other property located in Stockton, but maintained that the franchise was taxable only in this city. The court in its opinion considers the points presented by the two sets of attorneys at great length and a majority of the justices conclude that the franchise is taxable at its situs (Stockton) instead of at its locus (San Francisco).

The reason for the decision is based on the fact that the privilege of the franchise is enjoyed at the seat of operations.

POPE HOLDS CONSISTORY

Bestows Red Hats and Rings on the Newly Appointed Cardinals

By Associated Press.
ROME, Dec. 14.—The pope today held a public consistory in the royal hall of the vatican at which he bestowed the red hats and cardinal's rings upon two of the new cardinals, Monsignor Cagano De Azavedo and Monsignor J. A. De Arcevedo De Albuquerque Cavalcanti, archbishop of Rio De Janeiro.

The other two new cardinals, Mgr. Joseph Samassa, archbishop of Erlau, Hungary and Monsignor Spinola, archbishop of Seville, not being in Rome, special papal ablegates will be sent to take the red barretts to them. In the dual hall through which the pontiff passed were grouped thousands of persons including many foreigners, especially Americans.

The pontiff smiled benevolently and imparted his blessing as he entered.

Will Not Extradite Crowe
By Associated Press.

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 14.—Governor Mickey announced tonight that he could not honor the requisition of the governor of Iowa for the removal of Pat Crowe to that state. Governor Mickey gives as a reason the fact that there is still a criminal charge hanging over Crowe in Douglas county, Neb., and until that is disposed of he cannot be removed.

Two Killed in Railroad Wreck
By Associated Press.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 14.—A switch engine on the Illinois Central railroad left the track in the yards here tonight and crashed into a four-story building occupied by the Indiana Stove company, killing the engineer and fireman. The dead have not been identified.

Killed by Runaway Team
By Associated Press.

VIRGINIA, Dec. 14.—John Lindsay, a well-known cattle buyer of this city, was killed this afternoon in Fraser valley, thirty miles east of here. His team became frightened, started to run and pitching him out dragged him to death.

MEN BETRAY EACH OTHER

Members of Gang Accused of Counterfeiting Tell Secret Service Agent of Crimes

D. E. Latham, one of the gang of men arrested last night in the raid on their house at Thirty-ninth street and Central avenue and held on the charge of frequenting an opium den, will be arraigned in the United States court this morning on the charge of counterfeiting, through the confession of W. H. Carroll, a member of the gang.

The case against the suspected men is one of betrayals. Frank Weller was the first to tell the officers what he knew of the affair. He confided in them that Joe Castro was his partner in raising the bills from \$2 to \$10 and making the bad nickels. He also gave out information that led to the arrest of two men in San Francisco Tuesday.

Castro remained silent, according to the officers, until he learned that some one had "told on him." Immediately he confided to the officers the information that Carroll was the ringleader of the gang. Yesterday Carroll called for Secret Service Agent Cronin and told him that Latham was implicated. Latham has claimed to have nothing to do with tampering with the United States money.

KOREA APPEALS TO THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA

H. B. HULBERT CLAIMS SHE WAS
WRONGED BY JAPS

Representative of the Hermit Kingdom Says He Will Lay His Case Before the Citizens of the United States

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Hober B. Hulbert, who came to America from the emperor of Korea to deliver to President Roosevelt the emperor's protest against the Japanese protectorate over Korea, says he will appeal in Korea's behalf to the American people.

Mr. Hulbert was in this city yesterday, starting last night for Cape Cod. In an interview he told of Korea's wrongs at the hands of the Japanese and of his own efforts in Washington to have the American government use its good offices in Korea's behalf.

"I cabled the emperor of Korea to-day," said Mr. Hulbert, "that the only hope of Korea's independence now lay in a direct appeal to the people of this country, and I am therefore ready to break the reserve which I have maintained since my arrival in this country as to the true situation in Korea."

Mr. Hulbert's interview to the press was substantially the same as that given by him in Washington.

WANT BETTER RATES

Montanans Hold Meeting With Object of Obtaining Lower Freight Charges

By Associated Press.
HELENA, Mont., Dec. 14.—Better freight rates for Montana is the result sought to be attained by a convention here of business men, cattle men and other shippers from various parts of the state. The convention began in the Unitarian church at 11 a. m., the visitors being welcomed to Helena and wished a successful meeting by W. Hedges of Fergus county, speaker of the lower house of the last legislature; Mayor Purcell and Governor Toole.

About 100 delegates were present from outside points. Governor Toole in his remarks told the gathering he hoped it would achieve its object, but if it were proposed to have a special session of the legislature to amend the tariff laws, he would consider such action inexpedient in view of the difference of opinion between the legislature and the executive upon the question of appointing members of the commission, referring to his action during the last session in vetoing such a measure because it deprived him of the appointing power.

ARCHDUKE OTTO ILL

Operation Performed on His Throat and a Silver Tube is Inserted

By Associated Press.
VINNA, Dec. 14.—Archduke Otto has been very ill for the last few months and his condition became so aggravated that the operation of tracheotomy was performed Monday and the archduke now breathes through a silver tube inserted in his windpipe. The operation was performed only when dangerous attacks of suffocation made it imperative. He is still in a serious condition.

The archduke spent the summer at his chateau near here and was brought to Vienna last week. He practically retired from public and social life two years ago.

Archduke Otto's brother, Franz Ferdinand, is the heir presumptive to the throne. The next in line was Archduke Otto, but it was decided several years ago that he would not ascend the throne and he delivered his right of succession to his oldest son, Archduke Karl.

SOLD TO STEEL TRUST

J. J. Hill Ore Lands in the Western Mesaba Range Acquired by Corporation

By Associated Press.
DULUTH, Minn., Dec. 14.—One of the biggest mining deals in the history of the Mesaba iron range was consummated today when the transfer of a half interest in what are known as the J. J. Hill mines ore lands on the western Mesaba range was formally made to the United States Steel corporation, the papers being filed at Grand Rapids, Minn., the county seat of Itasca county, Minnesota, today.

The principal part of the unleased ore lands on this range comprises a vast acreage on the west end of the Mesaba known as the Walker lands. These lands have been variously estimated to contain from 100,000,000 to 300,000,000 tons of ore, running about one-half Bessemer.

Body Burned in Train Wreck
By Associated Press.

SANTA ROSA, Dec. 14.—Word was received here today that the body of Mrs. J. T. Ord, of Occidental, which was shipped east two weeks ago for burial, was incinerated in the train wreck at Omaha before the eyes of her husband, who was powerless to prevent it.

CHASED BY MOB OF ANGRY WOMEN

RENO DOG CATCHER HAS A NARROW ESCAPE

Attempt to Capture Pet of Prominent Resident Arouses Wrath of Fair Ones—The Animal Escapes

Special to The Herald.

RENO, Nev., Dec. 14.—D. W. Seales, the official dog catcher for this city, was pursued through the city by a mob of infuriated women armed with sticks and stones because he attempted to land in the city pound a pet dog belonging to a prominent Reno society woman. They had a rope and threatened to hang the dog man if caught.

The latter finally made his escape by getting on the other side of the river from his pursuers. During the rapid flight Seales released the dog.

PERKINS ECHOES ROOSEVELT

California Senator Believes in President's Policy of Railroad Rate Regulation

By Associated Press.
SANTA ANA, Cal., Dec. 14.—In response to resolutions presented to representatives in the national legislature endorsing President Roosevelt's position on railroad rate legislation, the Santa Ana Merchants association has received expressions from Senator Perkins and Flint and from Congressman S. C. Smith of Bakersfield defining their positions on the question. Senator Perkins says: "I am in full sympathy with the views expressed by President Roosevelt in his last message to congress. I am also in favor of the most stringent laws against the railroad companies giving special rebates or privileges to shippers. In other words, I believe all should be placed on an equality when shipping in carload lots. I also favor the enlargement of the interstate commerce commission, so that the west and California especially may be represented upon that commission. I hope that congress will agree upon a bill and enact it into a law that has the approval of the president and is in accordance with the wishes of the people of the country and especially of California."

Senator Flint's noncommittal reply is: "I have no doubt that a bill will be passed during the present session of congress that will prove satisfactory to you and your organization."

Congressman Smith endorses President Roosevelt's stand in the words: "I am in hearty sympathy with the president in this question."

FAVOR PRESIDENT'S PLAN

Hawaiians Pleased With Recommendations Regarding Labor for the Islands

By Associated Press.
HONOLULU, Dec. 6, via San Francisco, Dec. 14.—President Roosevelt's recommendations in his annual message to congress as far as Hawaii is affected are commented upon here with general approval. It is understood that the plan, long agitated, of securing special laws under which Chinese laborers might be allowed to come here has been practically abandoned and there is a movement on foot to get a labor supply from Europe.

It is believed that the movement already started to import 1000 families of Chinese laborers to Hawaii is being abandoned and that the board of immigration for the purpose of bringing them here by the Sugar Planters' association, will be followed by larger movements of the same kind. Of the present population of 154,000 about two-thirds are Asiatics, more than 60,000 being Japanese.

Nearly a thousand boxes of oranges imported here from Japan were burned by Alexander Gray, agent of the Hawaiian board of agriculture, last Monday on account of their being infected with insect pests.

The salvage claims against the British bark Ernest Ryer, which went ashore near Diamond Head, have been compromised.

The amount paid to the Sreckles tug, the Interland Steamship company and the steamer Lehua, is said to have been \$900.

ELECTIONS IN SWITZERLAND

Federal Assembly Chooses M. Forrer, a Radical, to Be President

By Associated Press.
BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 14.—The national council and the state council, assembled as a federal assembly today, elected M. Forrer, the vice president of the federal council and a Radical, to be president of the Swiss confederation in succession to M. Ruchet. M. Muller was elected vice president.

M. Forrer is 60 years of age. He was born at Winterthur, which place he represents in parliament. He is a former railroad manager, is known as one of the best radical Democratic orators and is principally associated with the scheme to provide compensation for injured workmen.

Four Drowned While Sleeping
By Associated Press.

BROWNSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 14.—Four persons were drowned in the Monongahela river today as the result of the passenger steamer Rose Hill colliding with the tow boat Joe F. Klein and sinking in fourteen feet of water. All the dead were employed on the steamer as deck hands and were drowned while they slept. The boat carried fourteen passengers, but all were taken to shore safely.

WITNESS AGAINST HUMMEL

Former Wife of Charles W. Morse is in New York and Will Testify

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—After an absence of nearly two years, the woman who was the wife of Charles W. Morse, a wealthy banker, until the husband whom she had divorced, Charles Dodge, had their separation set aside, and in this way led to his own indictment and that of A. H. Hummel and other lawyers, is back in this country.

She returned from Europe several weeks ago. It is said she will be called as a witness against Hummel, should this be deemed necessary by District Attorney Jerome and that, should this necessity arise, Mr. Morse will also be called to the stand.

She went to Europe in March of last year, soon after it was learned that her marriage to Mr. Morse had been annulled following the setting aside of her divorce from Dodge.

DEFENDS POLICY OF EMPEROR OF GERMANY

VON BUELOW REPLIES TO THE SOCIALISTS

Declares William is in No Way a Disturber of the Peace, and That His Purposes Have Been Greatly Misrepresented

By Associated Press.
BERLIN, Dec. 14.—In the reichstag today Prince von Buelow, the imperial chancellor, replying to the criticism of the Socialists that Germany's foreign policy was calculated to disturb the peace of the world, repelled emphatically the assertion that the German emperor, who for eighteen years had given so many proofs of his honest love of peace, was in any way a disturber of that peace. During the past summer, said the chancellor, while the emperor was in Denmark, among the newspaper clippings sent him from Germany was one containing the words "Emperor William has no warlike plans. That lies in the nature of things and in the character of the people over whose head the emperor is placed."

The chancellor said that the emperor wrote on the margin of this clipping: "Right, as I said literally today to the king of Denmark."

The reason so many Englishmen believe that Germany is a disturber of the peace, said the chancellor, was to be found in the speeches of the Socialists, which so misrepresent Germany's role.

Herr Bebel, the Socialist leader, who preceded Prince von Buelow, referred to the orders of Lieutenant General von Trotha, commander of the troops in German Southwest Africa, as unworthy of a civilized nation. He said that Germany's colonial policy since 1898, as shown by a clerical organ, has cost the country \$200,000,000.

JURORS FOR PACKERS' TRIAL

Three Men Accepted by Government and Defense in Beef Trust Case

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—Three jurors, two of whom are carpenters and one a real estate dealer from the interior of the state, have been accepted by both the government and the defendant packer lawyers in the "beef trust" case now at bar before Judge Humphreys. Considerable difficulty in securing competent men is being met with and during today's examination of witnesses sworn statements in opposing counsel were frequent.

When court adjourned tonight each side had exhausted three of their seven peremptory challenges. It developed today that Commissioner of Corporations James A. Garfield, his chief assistant, Dr. E. A. Durand, have practically become witnesses for the defense, inasmuch as Mr. Garfield has been served with subpoena duces tecum, issued at the instance of the defense, to produce every book, paper, record or report he has now, or did have, and be ready to testify concerning it. By this it is declared the defense will endeavor to show that Mr. Garfield has sworn statements in his possession which were made by the packers during Commissioner Garfield's investigation of the business methods of the "beef trust" and that in view of this fact the packers have gained immunity from criminal prosecution.

NEWSPAPER MAN APPOINTED

Edwin F. Moran Made Civil Service Commissioner to Succeed Rogers

By Associated Press.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—Edwin F. Moran, who has been secretary of the civil service commission since 1900, when the charter went into effect, was today appointed civil service commissioner to succeed John W. Rogers, who resigned some time ago to become curator of the park museum.

Commissioner Moran, who took his seat at a special meeting of the committee this morning, is a well known newspaper man. A. H. Powers, editor of the Grocers' Advocate, will succeed Moran as secretary of the commission.