

*DR. GEO. M. TERRILL.*

THERE is no more emphatic truism than that the careers of men are moulded in a large degree by their heredity and associations in the body politic. Dr. Terrill has an honored ancestry, and his walks in life have been in society of the highest type. This, together with a thorough, systematic and classical education and a natural adaptability to his profession, has placed him in the front ranks of the eminent physicians of the Pacific Coast.

He was born February 22, 1859, at Salem, Virginia. He received his early education at Roanoke College, thence going to the University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia, from which institution he graduated with distinction in 1883. For two years he practiced in Virginia, and was then appointed assistant surgeon in the U. S. Army. This position he held with honor, passing safely through the Apache campaign and braving the dangers incident to this treacherous foe. In 1886 he came to San Francisco and immediately entered upon the active practice of his profession. At present he holds the position of brigade surgeon on General Dickinson's staff. He is also a member of the Cosmos Club. Dr. Terrill is a fine type of the American gentleman, refined, genial, and has the faculty of making friends. Coming as his patients do from all classes, he makes no distinction, every one receiving the same courteous treatment and attention. He takes a warm interest in all that concerns his profession and keeps abreast of the medical researches of this country and Europe.

Socially he moves in the best circles, and with his environments, classical education and past brilliant record, there seems to be a wide field awaiting him in higher honors and greater distinction in his vocation, of which he is so honored a member.

*EDWARD F. WEIHE.*

SHINING as an example of the prominent place taken by our native sons in all lines of business is Mr. Edward F. Weihe. Born in Downieville, Placer County, he commenced his business career on August 19, 1875, as a messenger boy for the American District Telegraph Company. By energy and perseverance he worked his way up, till to-day he is general manager and secretary of the Gold and Stock Telegraph Company of California,—a position of great responsibility. Mr. Weihe is happily married, and finds in his home a haven of rest which keeps him away from clubs and societies. His success is an eloquent lesson to our boys of what may be accomplished by singleness of purpose.