

Francis Pierce Cox (1878 – 1 Nov 1926)

Cox. Suddenly on Monday, November 1, 1926, Frank P. Cox, beloved husband of Hettie M. Cox. Funeral services at Wright's chapel, 1337 10th st. n.w., at 11 a.m., Wednesday, November 3. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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Frank P. Cox Ends Life: Formerly in Treasury

Despondency Over Poor Health Believed to Be Reason for Shooting Himself

Believed to be despondent over his physical condition, Frank P. Cox, 48 years old, shot himself to death in his apartment on the third floor at 2844 Wisconsin avenue early this afternoon. He was pronounced dead upon the arrival of a physician.

Mr. Cox worked in the income tax division of the Treasury Department from September 1, 1917, until July 3, 1925, when he was retired on account of his health. Before working in the Treasury Department he was employed at the Government Printing Office.

The deceased, who was a member of the Masonic Order, is survived by his widow. The case was investigated by Officer G.D. Cornwell and Precinct Detective F.L. Arrington of the fourteenth precinct station, who notified the coroner.