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MEDICAL.

Out of Plumb.

When the wall is out of plumb the building is more or less unsafe, and the higher the wall is carried out of the perpendicular the greater the danger of collapse. It is about so with the health; it is out of plumb when the digestion is impaired, when there is a dull, sluggish feeling, with nervousness, irritability and sleeplessness. Every day that these symptoms are neglected increases the liability to physical collapse.



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OVERLAND WITH \$50,000,000.

Col. H. J. Burns of San Francisco who can boast the unparalleled record of having twenty-five times crossed the United States from extreme west to farthest east in a refrigerator car with millions of dollars in his possession was in Denver yesterday.

When in 1885 it was decided to take \$50,000,000 of gold and silver from the Bob-Treasury of the United States at San Francisco to the Treasury at Washington, Col. Burns, although a staunch republican holding office in the United States Marshal's office under a democratic administration, was selected for the task. Such an undertaking at that time was unknown and has never since been repeated.

To accomplish this task of moving the yellow and white millions necessitated fifty trips across the continent in a fruit car, making in all a journey of more than 200,000 miles and consuming nearly a year's time. All of this yellow treasure might have been loaded upon one train or two trains and transported to its destination on short notice. But the Treasury officials felt that the risk of such an undertaking would be too great even though they should guard the trains with a regiment of soldiers. The country with a reputation for law was at that time not as good as it is at present. While the moving of a whole train load of money could not have been kept quiet, the plan by which the money was sent was kept a profound secret, although it may have been guessed by the train men.

A single fruit car was fitted up as a combined treasure house and arsenal. Loaded with seventeen tons of silver and gold, and coupled next the engine of a passenger train it gave out the general impression of a load of perishable fruit being hurried to its destination. For the first few trips Col. Burns and an assistant lived in the car day and night from start to finish. When trip after trip was made without molestation the assistant was taken off and Burns finished his task alone.

Strange as it may seem his coming and going were so unobtrusive and the fruit car so little tempting to robbers that not once in all the fifty trips was an attempt ever made to hold up the treasure car.

Had robbers beset the train, however, they would first have had to kill the defender before they could have touched the Government gold, for Col. Burns is known as one of the foremost dead shot rifle and revolver marksmen of the Pacific Coast. He is quiet, modest-speaking man, but quick as a flash when it comes to drawing and with stern old New England integrity is as inflexible as time in matters of duty.

For four years he was sheriff of San Francisco at a time when that official needed plenty of pluck and backbone. During his term of office he hanged two men, but says they never caused him to lose a moment's sleep. For ten years he was an officer of the national guard of California, and each year he won the marksman's or sharpshooter's bar to fix upon his breast and finally to hang at the end of all these trophies, a service medal awarded by the State.

It was his reputation as a shot and a man who could be relied upon to do his duty at all times, that gained the money-carrying commission for the colonel. Again in 1896 he was called upon to carry another million across the continent, and for many years before and after that he was commander of the guards of the pay trains of the Southern Pacific, so zealously guarding the millions entrusted to his care that his record is as bright as a page from the book of life. Not a cent has ever been lost in his hands.

Col. Burns is now 70 years of age. He has quit the strenuous life and lives in quiet contentment with his wife, dividing their time between their little farm away off in the woods of Maine and their San Francisco home.—[Denver Republican.]

PRICES OF HOGS ARE HIGH.—Owing to the recent unusual boom in prices for hogs the English houses at the Chicago stockyards are temporarily suspending operations, the price of hogs being relatively higher than bacon and other hog products. Boyd-Lunham have not been killing any hogs for several days and it is reported that Lipton & Co. are going to suspend work for a few days. Hogs have had a great rise in price, present values being the highest recorded in September since 1882, when \$9 3/4 a 100 pounds was paid. The best hogs are selling this week for \$7. The highest price paid in September last year was \$5.70. In September, 1896, the best hogs brought \$3.35.

TO ACCOMMODATE those who are partial to the use of stimulants in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membrane and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to a natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren st., N. Y.

EMPEROR FREDERICK'S WILL.—The London Truth says the will of the late Emperor Frederick was not fully revealed. It transpires that she left 3,000,000 marks to Count von Seckendorff, her Court Marshal, to whom, it is alleged, she had been organically married. About two weeks ago the "Tagblatt" and some other Berlin papers printed the report that the late Emperor had been married to Count von Seckendorff. The day after the publication the Kaiser's aide-de-camp called at the office of the "Tagblatt" and denied the report in the name of the Emperor. At the time the will was read it was stated that, under its provisions, Count von Seckendorff would receive numerous presents in recognition of the esteem in which he was held by the late Emperor Frederick. On the same day Emperor William conferred upon Count von Seckendorff the star of a Commander of the Order of the Royal House of Hohenzollern.

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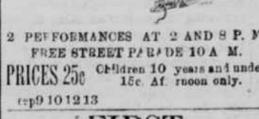
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