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Nov. 26, 1830, this man of varied fornes was born, and on the 26th of November, 1896, he found himself at the age of 66. as bereft of earthly possessions as upon the day of his birth, notwithanding the fact that less than ten years ago his fortune was rated at over \$6,000ooo. When Tabor was rich and prosperus he was fond of recalling the days of overty and labor through which he had bassed, and the following facts are a ndensation of his history as he related it to me, seated in his private office in he Tabor Grand Opera House before dversity had overtaken him.

In 1850 Tabor came to Denver, leaving farm in Kansas and a seat in the Legisture. He stayed in Denver through lature. He stayed in Denver through the winter, and early in the spring of 1860, with two friends drove a yoke of 1860, with two friends and 1860, with t experienced travelers having trudged all he way across the plains from the Missuri River to the foot of the front range of the Rocky Mountains the season beore, but it must be confessed that there was a great lack of style about the turn-

It is a curious coincidence that in makig this journey more than thirty six ears ago Tabor must have passed directover the rich gold fields of Cripple Creek, ignorant of their presence where to-day he is beginning life over again in search of gold. The difficulties of that ourney were many; often the grade was steep that the wagon had to be held back from a tumbling descent by fastening a big pine log behind it to serve as a break; often after a day's toilsome march camp was made is sight of the smoke

from the fire of the previous night. Filled with experiences of this kind it took just six weeks to make the journey from Denver to California Gulch, the party arriving at their destination in April. The snow was from three to five eet deep and there wasn't more than fifty men in the camp. It did not take ery long, however, to change these contions and by July there were 0,000 men at work prospecting and vashing gold. In recalling those early lays in the gulch Mr. Tabor said: "The everyday life of a miner is no

ery interesting. He digs in the gravel ne throws it into the sluice, he forks out e boulders, he 'cleans up' to see ho nuch gold he has rescued, day after day week after week, month after month. There isn't any romance in any kind There isn't any romance in any kind of hard work. The romance is always ing due let them go to protest. n results. The preliminaries are always rosaic. It is sufficient for me to say, perefore that I worked hard, and at the end of the season found that I had clear ed \$5,000. That isn't much money nov adays, and very often since then I have leared ten times that amount in les than half the time, but never have I felt o happy as over that little pile of dust ug out of the gravel of California Gulch in the summer of 1860 The next summer I worked my claim and in the two

asons made \$15,000. After this Tabor moved to Buckskin oe, a booming mining camp then, a wilerness now, where he opened a store of general merchandise and was made Post master. There he stayed for several years. Then when the Printer Boy mine was discovered at California Gulch, he moved his store over to the old camp and was made Postmaster there. Then for nearly twenty years Tabor jogged along meeting with moderate prosperity Thousands of times as he says he walked over Fryer hill and never thought it worth while "to stick a pick into it, when within twenty-seven feet of the surface lay the crest of a silver deposit worth millions of dollars. Every season he "grnbstaked" men to prospect for him and themselves, and every season was "out" just that much, for they never found anything. For the benefit of those not familiar with mining terms it ay be said that to "grub-stake" a pro ector is to furnish him with food free of cost for a share in any mine that he may discover. But on the 15th of Apri 1878, Tabor "grub-staked" Rische and Hook. They began to dig on Fryer Hill and all the old miners laughed at them They dug away and at the depth of wenty seven feet struck silver ore that an 200 ounces to the ton. They called neir mine Little Pittsburg. This was the foundation of Tabor's fortune. In less than a month after the discovery he paid Hook \$90,000 for his share of the

Rische \$262,000 for his third thus becomng sole owner of the Little Pittsbur and of the greatest mines ever discovered at Leadville from which he received more than \$1,000,000.

more than that, be was a public-spirited, open handed citizen. He built a fine opera house for Leadville at a cost of ver \$50,000. Then he built the Tabor Block in Denver and had chiselled on the keystone of the arch over the entrance the two words, "Dies Faustes," for those were indeed happy days. The block was worth nearly half a million dollars, Then he erected in Denver the Tabo Grand Opera House, second only i beauty to the Grand Opera House of

with Tabor. He was rated as worth \$6 000,000. He became ambitious for po litical honors. He poured out mo like water to accomplish his ends. He was always betrayed by those who pretended to be his friends. He was given the Lieutenant-Governorship, which he did not want. Then he entered the race for United States Senator and was chosen for a term, made vacant by the death of

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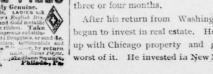
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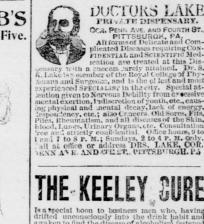
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