

LOUIS NAPOLEON'S ESCAPE.

Disguised as a Workman He Fooled the Ham Fortress Guard.

From the researches made by M. Thirria come some interesting details of the escape of Louis Napoleon from the fortress of Ham, in northern France, on May 25, 1846.

It seems that the sole credit for the escape must lie with Louis Napoleon himself. He made his valet, Thellin, buy a black wig, some rouge, a cap which was scrubbed with pumice stone and a pair of sabots. Then he cut off his mustache, put on a blue apron, a blue pair of trousers and a close fitting shirt of coarse stuff.

Some workmen were carrying out some repairs to that part of the fortress where the prince lodged, and this gave color to his disguise, so much so that the two watchmen entertained no suspicions regarding the man who walked past them and out at the great gate, a pipe in his mouth and a plank on his shoulder. The sergeant on duty at the drawbridge was reading a letter as he passed and took no notice of him. It was then 5 o'clock in the morning.

Four times that day, the last time at 5 in the afternoon, did the governor, Demarie, send for the prince. Each time Dr. Conneau replied that the prisoner could not see anybody because he had taken medicine. When at last the governor lost patience and went himself to the prince's room and walked up to the bed on which the supposed invalid was lying he discovered that a very presentable dummy had taken the place of Louis Napoleon. The discovery was made too late. By that time the fugitive was over the Belgian frontier.—Paris Journal des Debates.

Trouble In Store For Him.

There is a rough time in store for the little boy whose antics have led his distracted parents to thus appeal for assistance through an advertisement in an English paper:

"Nurse.—Wanted, a robust, God fearing Scotch nurse, who can teach the shorter catechism and has a working knowledge of the business side of a slipper, to take charge of a four-year-old boy who has a double dose of original sin."

A Great Blow.

A western financier was talking to a Washington reporter about a financial deal that had ended disastrously.

"It was too bad," said the reporter. "Too bad?" said the financier, with a grim smile. "Oh, 'too bad' is not strong enough to fit the case. 'Too bad' is ludicrous. It suggests the farmer

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who when his wife and family were killed by a cyclone said it was 'a great blow' to him.—Exchange.

POWER OF PUBLIC OPINION.

The prince as actual ruler is always limited by public opinion, but what is there to limit public opinion if it holds sovereign sway?—Stahl.

Men will face powder and steel because they cannot face public opinion.—Chapin.

OLD AGE.

If you would insure a peaceful old age be careful of the acts of each day of your youth, for with youth the deeds thereof are not to be left behind.—Isaac Disraeli.

When a noble life has prepared old age it is not the decline that it recalls, but the first days of immortality.—Mme. de Staël.

Before old age it was my chief care to live well; in old age it is to die well.—Seneca.

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Kitchen Weights and Measures

The following valuable table of weights and measures for kitchen use has been prepared by the domestic science department of the Oregon Agricultural College:

3 teaspoons equal 1 tablespoon.
12 tablespoons (liquid) equals 1 cup
16 tablespoons (dry) equals 1 cup.
2 cups equals 1 pint.

2 tablespoons butter equals 1 ounce.
4 tablespoons flour equals 1 ounce.
2 tablespoons gr. sugar equals 1 oz.
2 tablespoons liquid equals 1 ounce.
1 square Bakers' choc. equals 1 ounce
4 cups sifted flour equals 1 pound.
2 cups granulated sugar equals 1 pound.
Juice of 1 lemon equals 3 tablespoons.

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FOR SALE—A few settings of eggs of choice strain Black Minorcas. Thirteen eggs for \$1.50. A. E. Kellogg, Gold Hill, Ore.

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Northbound

No. 20	8:13 a. m.
No. 24 (motor)	11:02 a. m.
No. 32 (motor)	5:27 p. m.
No. 16	6:00 p. m.
No. 14	6:27 p. m.

Southbound

No. 23 (motor)	8:13 a. m.
No. 15	9:52 a. m.
No. 31 (motor)	1:42 p. m.
No. 13	2:45 p. m.
No. 19	10:46 p. m.

BENEFITS LOCAL PEOPLE

Gold Hill people have discovered that A SINGLE DOSE of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler's-ka, the German appendicitis remedy, relieves gas on the stomach and constipation AT ONCE. J. Q. Jarvis, druggist.

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The rushing current of Rogue river—teeming with gamy salmon, trout and steelhead—offers at a comparatively slight cost per developed horsepower an abundance of power for any and all industrial development. And speaking of hunting—the neighboring hills are the happy hunting grounds of southern Oregon. No hunter returns without plenty of venison, and generally he brings in the legal limit. Cougar, bear, panther and coyotes may be had by those who care to hunt them, and several trappers in the vicinity make good money each winter on the finer furs.

The choicest fruit land in southern Oregon surrounds Gold Hill, the numerous creek valleys, with their deep, fertile, mineral-mixed soil and absolute immunity from frost providing almost ideal conditions for the horticulturalist.

Several extensive timber belts can be most easily put into the market with mills located at Gold Hill.

THE following is a list of mining properties in the region contiguous to Gold Hill, classified as to their respective districts:

Kanes Creek: Revenue, Alice, Mendenhall, Roaring Gilet, Braden, Millionaire, Centennial placer, and many others; also the Hughes and Householder lime quarries.

Galls Creek: Bill Nye, recently purchased by a powerful French syndicate, operating mines in all parts of the world; five stamps will soon be in operation. Gold Standard, Red Oak, Rattlesnake, Kubli, Tin Pan, Burns & Duffield, H. D. Jones, Last Chance, and Big Foot.

Foots Creek: Champlin Dredging Co., Black Channel placer, Lance Bros. placer, Dixie Queen, Bertha, Horseshoe, Swaker, Hummingbird, and many others.

Sardine Creek: Little Giant, Black Hawk, Grey Eagle, Lucky Bart group, Corporal G, Garrison, Haff group, Hinckle, Smith placer, Dusenbury placer, and many others; this creek placers its entire length.

Rogue River Hills: Fairview, Blizzard, White Horse, Sylvanite, Trustbuster, Pactolian, Garfield (iron), Fleming-Ward (iron).

Gold Hill Mountain: Gold Hill ledge, Copper Queen, Whitney, Fisher, Dikeman and many others.

Backwell Hills: Maybelle, Nellie Wright, Bowden, Yellow Jacket, Lone Pine, Frank Shaffer and many others.

Willow Springs: Murray, Nick Jerry, Herschberger, Houston and many others.

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Secretary Business Men's Assn.
Gold Hill, Oregon

GOLD HILL is the center of a rich mineral district. Gold, copper, iron, cement rock, brick and potter's clay, shale, lime—the purest on the continent, according to government geological reports—all are here, and all undeveloped. The rich surface gold deposits, both placer and quartz, have been worked for fifty years, and have paid and are still paying handsomely. There is no deep mining. This will come later, and when it does it is freely predicted that Gold Hill will become one of the greatest camps the west has ever seen.

A mountain of high-grade cement rock lies just south of the town, and a mountain of high-grade hematite iron just north—both undeveloped. A bituminous coal belt many square miles in extent lies seven miles north of the town—undeveloped. This is in the Sams Valley and Meadows districts, comprising some of the finest land for fruit and general farming in southern Oregon. An eleven-foot vein of black lignite has been uncovered in the Meadows, and samples of coal taken from wells in Sams Valley have been proven by analysis and forge tests to be of high quality.

Capital is invited to investigate the Gold Hill district, either before or after investigating other districts, whether the object of the investigation is mines, timber, cement, lime, brick and tile clay, timber, coal, power, or a location for a sanitarium or tourists' hotel—Gold Hill has them all.

Add to all its other advantages as to location and resources an all-the-year climate that can't be beaten on the Pacific coast, and an idea is gained of the justice of the claim that Gold Hill has the best prospects for future development of any town in the world-famous Rogue River valley of southern Oregon.